

THE WEATHER

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HENRY F. CARR

Appointed Park Commissioner by Mayor Meehan

Will Succeed Col. Percy Parker

Albert F. Grant Will Succeed Himself as Cemetery Trustee

Mayor Meehan today appointed ex-Councilman Henry F. Carr, of ward four, to succeed Col. Percy Parker as a member of the park commission for

the pool room and furniture business in Gorham street and has a host of friends in that section of the city who will be highly pleased over his appointment.

His Honor also announced that he will appoint ex-Alderman Albert F. Grant to succeed himself as a member of the board of cemetery trustees. Mr. Grant served the city in the common council and board of aldermen and was a member of the legislature from the 13th district, ward eight.

The appointment of the park commissioner calls for confirmation by the city council while that of cemetery trustee is without confirmation. Mr. Grant's present term expires April 9.

Dog collars for all sizes of dogs at The Thompson Hardware Co.

90 MORE PUPILS

Industrial School Does Not Affect High School

In answer to a question of Superintendent Whitecomb as to the effect of an industrial school on regular high school attendance, Superintendent Sheridan of Lawrence writes as follows:

"Our high school attendance has materially increased each year; and that increase has by no means diminished since the opening of the Industrial school. We have this year about ninety more pupils in high school than last year. I do not think that the years to come will see anything like a marked falling off in high school attendance. On the contrary, I believe it is bound to increase, in spite of the establishment of vocational schools."

PEPIN THE TAILOR

HAS RETURNED WITH NEW STYLES AND SHADES

Mr. J. N. Pepin, the high class custom tailor with establishment at 15 Thorndike street, returned from New York this morning after a visit for the purpose of acquiring the latest spring styles.

Although his time was limited owing to the "spring rush" being on when he left this city, Mr. Pepin paid a call to his friend, Mr. Rude of the New York cutting school, one of the largest schools for the advancement of the cutting art in the states, and received many of Mr. Rude's original ideas for the correct fitting and cutting of garments, which he will use to advantage this spring.

CAUGHT IN SQUALL

IT IS FEARED THAT SCHOONER HAS FOUNDRED

MOSS POINT, Miss., March 23.—The schooner Elizabeth Dantler, which sailed from Havana for this port on March 7, is believed to have encountered a squall in the gulf and foundered.

By Charles F. Kayes, Auctioneer, 10 Green Street, Lowell, Mass.

Adjourned Mortgagee's Sale

The sale advertised in The Lowell Sun on the 15th, 22nd and 29th of October, 1910, to take place under a certain mortgage given to John V. McEvoy by Richard Cummings, dated September 21, A. D. 1907, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 113, Page 371, which mortgage was duly assigned to the Brown-Wales Company of Boston, in the County of Suffolk and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, corporation duly established by law, as an instrument in common form dated September 22nd, A. D. 1910, and recorded with Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 447, Page 556, and subsequently assigned to me by said Brown-Wales Company by an instrument in common form dated October 6, A. D. 1910, recorded with said Middlesex North District Registry of Deeds, Book 457, Page 424, and which was adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 132 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon of Tuesday, the 28th day of October, A. D. 1911, has been again adjourned to be held on the mortgaged premises numbered 132 School street, in the city of Lowell, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of April, A. D. 1911.

For description and terms see published notice.

FREDERICK H. CHASE, Attorney for mortgagor.

Lowell, Mass., February 28, 1911.

MANDAMUS WRIT

Hearing on the Petition Postponed Until Friday

The hearing on the writ of mandamus petitioned for by four members of the common council, Messrs. Tracy, Crowley, Royal and Corbett, has been postponed to Friday of this week.

The case was called before Judge Loring in the supreme judicial court at Boston this morning. John W. McEvoy appeared for the petitioners and John Jacob Rogers for the republican members of the common council. While the hearing was not proceeded with to-day it has not been dispensed with and the court ordered Mr. Rogers to make answer to the writ on Thursday of this week and the date for the hearing is set for the following day, Friday. Judge Loring said it was not the usual custom to try a case of this kind on its merits on the first day. The writ was not filed until last Friday and it cannot be said that there has not been

quick action in the case and the petitioners feel that the proceedings even as far as they have gone, have had the desired effect.

Mr. Rogers asked that the writ be denied or postponed. He guaranteed the court that there was no necessity for further action in the matter.

"Our position is," he said, "that meetings of both branches of our city council will be held this evening when a joint convention will be held.

"We entered into this agreement to go into joint convention tonight before receiving official notice of these proceedings.

President Elliott of the common council has notified the mayor and the chairman of the board of aldermen has also been notified of our formal agreement to meet in joint convention with the aldermen this evening.

"I consider it entirely unnecessary

PLACING THE BLAME

For the Terrible Fire Horror in New York

Investigation Resumed by the Officials—Architects and Fire Experts Making an Investigation of the Fire Laws

NEW YORK, March 28.—Sifting down the great mass of testimony at their disposal, city and county officials hoped today to draw closer to the source of responsibility for Saturday's fire horror in which 142 persons lost their lives. Investigations started yesterday by Fire Marshal Beers and District Atty. Whitman, were continued in other offices quarters of the city. The blame was kept up with unabated vigor.

Aside from the probe into the causes of the disaster, the East side continued the mournful task of burying its dead. Added to the 50 funerals of yesterday, as many more were held today. There remain 29 bodies so badly burned that identifications seemed improbable.

Aside from the probe into the causes of the disaster, undertaken with a view to bringing whoever is culpable to account, architects and fire experts are engaged today in examination of fire laws with a view to legislation for preventing further horrors.

GOODWIN DIVORCE DECREE

NEW YORK, March 28.—An interlocutory decree of divorce in favor of Edna Goodrich Goodwin, the actress, from her husband, Nat Goodwin, the comedian, was signed today by Supreme Court Justice Giererich. Miss Goodrich is given permission to marry again, but Mr. Goodwin is denied that permission during the lifetime of his former wife.

LOWELL'S BRIDGES

Mayor Wants Support for Senator Hibbard's Bill

which Provides That the County Shall Share Expense of Bridges Across the Merrimack in Lowell as is Now Done in Essex County

Some time ago Senator Hibbard introduced a bill in the senate providing that Middlesex county pay part of the expense of maintenance of bridges crossing the Merrimack river in Lowell. As chairman of the committee on roads and bridges Senator Hibbard learned that the Tyngsboro bridge is the only bridge in the county crossing the Merrimack that is supported even partially by the county, while in Essex county, Lawrence, Haverhill and Newburyport receive assistance in the maintenance of their bridges.

Mayor Meehan has taken up the matter and has sent the following letter to the city council:

Lowell, Mass., March 28, 1911.
To the City Council of the City of Lowell:
Gentlemen:

I desire to call your attention to a bill introduced in the legislature providing for payment by the County of Middlesex, of part of the expense of maintenance for the bridges crossing the Merrimack river in Lowell.

All the bridges crossing the Merrimack river in Essex county are in part supported by the county and I feel it is unjust that Lowell should bear the whole bill for its bridges, when Lawrence, Haverhill and Newburyport pay but part.

I trust the city council will adopt a vote in favor of this bill and instruct the city solicitor to appear in behalf of the city.

Respectfully yours,

John F. Meehan,
Mayor.

MAYOR ASHLEY

Man Who Runs New Bedford is Coming

Mayor Ashley of New Bedford, who has been chief executive of the whaling city almost beyond the memory of man, is the latest celebrity to accept an invitation to be with us in Lowell on April 19. Rep. F. D. Bartlett of Plymouth is coming if possible. Here are the letters:

New Bedford, Mass., March 25, 1911.
Hon. John F. Meehan,
Mayor, Lowell, Mass.

My dear Mayor:—I desire to thank you for your kind invitation to be present at your 50th anniversary of the march through Baltimore, to be held in your city, April 19th. I assure you I shall avail myself of the opportunity to be present.

Very truly yours,
Charles S. Ashley,
Mayor.

Office of Selectmen, Plymouth, Mass.
Hon. John F. Meehan,
Mayor, Lowell, Mass.

Dear Sir:—The invitation of your city to be present at the observance of the 50th anniversary of the march through Baltimore, April 19, 1861, was duly received and I thank you for it. At this writing it is impossible to say if I will be able to attend, but I assure you that I shall be very glad to do so if circumstances will permit.

Thanking you again for your invitation, I am very respectfully yours,

F. D. Bartlett,
Representative of First Plymouth Dist.

WANT MORE PAY

Telegraphers Threaten General Strike

New Building Permits

Among the recent building permits given out at the office of the inspector of buildings, is that of Andrew J. McLaughlin for a two apartment house on the south side of Blossom Street, two and one-half stories, 24 by 50 feet, each apartment to have six rooms, bath and pantry with an estimated cost of \$3500.

Charles F. Stackpole, has taken out a permit to erect a two apartment house in Grace street, each apartment to contain six rooms, pantry and bath, dimensions, 24 by 50, estimated cost, \$1300.

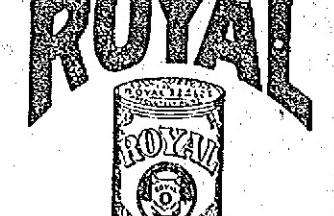
State Officer Flynn

State Officer Fred Flynn of Lawrence, while in town today paid a visit to Mayor Meehan. Both the mayor and his secretary, Warren Bjordahl, are old friends of Officer Flynn. The fact that Officer Flynn played a prominent part in the graft exposures in Lawrence might have led some to believe that he was calling on business, but the visit was purely a social affair for there is nothing doing at city hall in the graft line under a democratic regime.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Residents of the South Side Italian colony were thrown into great excitement today when a bomb was exploded in the doorway of the saloon of Seta Santo on Wentworth avenue. The saloon keeper and his family, who were asleep on the second floor, were thrown from their beds, the front of the store was wrecked, a Newfoundland dog was killed, and windows for a radius of a block were shattered.

Santo admitted to the police that he had received numerous threatening letters. The letters demanded \$1000 and were signed "The Black Hand." He ignored them.

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Wants Five Railroads to Refund
Sum of \$51,000

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A complaint demanding reparation aggregating more than \$51,000 from five railroads was filed today with the interstate commerce commission by the New England Coal and Coke Co., of Boston. The defendant roads are the Norfolk & Western, the Baltimore & Ohio, the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Virginia railroad and the Western Maryland. It is alleged that the railroads included in their through rates on coal shipped from Virginia and West Virginia points to Boston a charge of 3½ cents a ton for "trimming" or "levelling" the coal after it is discharged through the chutes in the coal holds of the vessels which carry it from tidewater to Boston. The complainant company employs vessels, it asserts, that have octagonal coal holes in which the coal, it is declared, trims or levels itself. It is averred therefore that the charge for trimming is excessively unjust. The commission is required to order the discontinuance of the charge and to award the complainant reparation as indicated.

LICENSE FEES

Have Been Reduced by
Lawrence Board

LAWRENCE, March 28.—The license commissioners held a meeting last night and voted to make a reduction of \$700 in the price of first class licenses, bringing the license fee down from \$2500 to \$1800.

The change was made on account of the bar and bottle bill. Under this act dealers who sell liquor to be drunk on the premises cannot sell bottled goods. In other years the retailers enjoyed the privilege of selling bottled goods. Under the new law they will be deprived of considerable revenue and this fact undoubtedly had some influence in causing the commissioners to make the change.

The wholesalers or holders of fourth class licenses will be compelled to pay a license fee of \$2500, the same as in other years. Innholders will be as-

sessed \$2800; brewers, \$2500; clubs, \$500; druggists, \$1; dealers in paints and oils, \$1.

Chairman McCarthy said last night that he did not know when the call for applications would be issued.

KILLED HIMSELF

LAWRENCE MAN COMMITTED
SUICIDE BY SHOOTING

LAWRENCE, March 28.—Louis B. Talbot committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head at 72 Hampshire street, where he conducted a jewelry store, with living apartments in the rear. He had been acting strangely of late, it is said.

He was formerly a prominent socialist, and at one time was the party candidate for senator in the 5th Essex district. He leaves a wife.

HOLY HOUR SERVICE

The weekly Lenten service of the Holy hour will be held in St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

THE B. & N. ROAD

Ordered to Pay Fines
of \$100

LAWRENCE, March 28.—A hearing on the complaint that the Boston & Northern street railway company refused to allow pupils residing in North Andover and attending the Lawrence Industrial school, to be conveyed to and from school at half fare was held Monday afternoon before Judge N. P. Frye in North Andover.

The hearing was on the complaint of Chief of Police Joseph L. Leighton. The pupils involved are P. R. Bishop, Jr., Hubert Whiting, Leo Lamb and Raymond Swan. Principal Dooley of the industrial school was a witness and after hearing his testimony Judge Frye found the railroad company guilty and imposed a fine of \$25 in each case.

The company appealed and the case will be taken to superior court.

The Boston & Northern was represented by Attorney C. J. Lamson of the firm of Warren Garfield, Lamson and Whiteleaf of Boston.

Like action was taken several weeks ago by Judge Frye in five similar cases.

PREFECT MORAIN

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT DUTIES
ON CHINAWARE

PARIS, March 28.—Foreign Minister Cruppi today received M. Moratin, perfect of Haute Vienne, who wished to be informed regarding the proposed action of the American treasury department in abrogating on May 1st its arrangement with the Limoges chamber of commerce.

This agreement provided the basis for custom duties on imports of chinaware into the United States from Limoges.

Recently notice was given that after May 1st these imports would be assessed by appraisers in the same manner as other imports are.

Mr. Cruppi stated that Ambassador Jusserand had cabled assurances that most of the difficulties had been removed and he expected that satisfactory solution of the matter would be found, with the result that the Limoges products would be allowed to continue to enter the American market without hindrance.

WHITE GIRL

REFUSED TO POSE FOR A NEGRO STUDENT

CHICAGO, March 28.—The race question came up in the art institution yesterday and for a time threatened to disrupt a class when a white girl who had been recently employed as a model refused to pose while negro student remained in the room.

After a consultation with his fellow students the negro artist to whom exception had been taken relented, the situation temporarily by walking from the classroom.

PASSENGERS SAFE

STEAMER AGROUND OFF POINT
MARDI GRAS

CAPTAINT HAITIEN, Haiti, March 28.—The German steamer Almania of the Atlas line, which sailed from New York last Thursday for Haitian ports, is aground off Point Mardi Gras and in a dangerous position. Her ten passengers are safe.

IT SAVES TO PAY CASH.

Red Letter Day--Anniversary Day

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Double "S. & H." Stamps FREE With Every Purchase Wednesday

Best Fresh
Full Made Pure
Cream Vermont
Cheese 10c
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BEST
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Butter 25c
lb.

This is without doubt worth double the money. Try a sample before buying.

Our sales prove beyond doubt, we have the best Butter in Lowell.

Pillsbury's Best XXXX Flour \$6.45 Bbl.
Do Not Miss This Great Flour Sale

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BONUS TO EVERY PURCHASER

In addition to all regular and extra stamps given with purchases

10 "S. & H." STAMPS FREE

To all who buy fifty cents' worth (50) or over and who cut out and present this coupon on Wednesday, March 29th, at any of our two stores

100 "S. & H." Stamps Free with 1 lb. Best Tea. 100 "S. & H." Stamps Free with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder.

35 "S. & H." Stamps with 1 lb. Best Pure Coffee.

10 "S. & H." STAMP SPECIALS

10c Pkg. Pure Borax.....	10c Pkg. Hecker's Buckwheat
10c Pkg. Plymouth Rock Icing.....	10c Bottle Pure Vinegar.....
10c Pkg. Bird Seed.....	10c Bottle Hartshorn Ammonia.....
10c Can Potash or Lye.....	10c Bottle Best Catsup.....
	10c Pkg. Macaroni or Spaghetti.....

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Best Eastern Green Mountain Potatoes - - - 12½c pk.

FREE DEMONSTRATION OF RUNKEL'S COCOA AND CHOCOLATE ALL DAY. SAMPLES FREE

MAIL AND TELEPHONE ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED.

THE INSURRECTOS

Are Gathering in Force at
San Andres

Some Think This May Mean
Preparations for Peace—Col.
Soto Moved on San Andres
Last Night

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, March 28.—News that insurrectos were congregating in some force at San Andres, 45 miles west of Chihuahua, caused some excitement today. Whether the gathering of rebels meant preparations for peace negotiations or a projected attack on Chihuahua could not be learned. Colonel Soto, with 150 men, moved on San Andres last night.

One hundred federales from the south embarked at Escalon last night to protect the road to Sierra Mojada.

has won the sobriquet of "William the Silent" because of his disinclination to give out statements to the press relating to the future operations of the soldiers. General Carter, on the field at Fort Sam Houston viewing a review of the infantry.

THE MADEROS

TO ATTEND MEETING OF JUNTA
AT SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 28.—Francisco Madero, Sr., and Gustave Madero, father and brother of the Mexican insurrecto leader, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., arrived here today and went to the house of Alfonso Madero, where the local junta meets. The Maderos say that the reunion was a purely personal affair, but the impression prevails that matters of moment are to be considered in connection with peace proposals.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

NOT AFTER THE BOSTON & ALBANY LINE

NEW HAVEN, March 28.—Reports that the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. is trying to secure control, by purchase, of the Boston & Albany line or that the conference which President Mellon of the New Haven road attended in New York yesterday had to do with that matter, were given official denial at the offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford here today.

Wed., March 29, 1911; Red Letter Day

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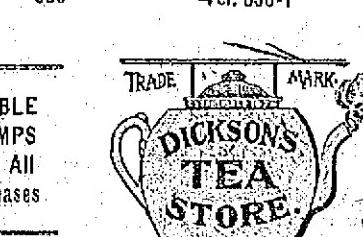
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With a bag of
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Pure Baking
Powder 50c



NON COMBATANTS ARE STRUGGLING TO GET OUT OF MEXICO

EL PASO, Texas, March 28.—Thousands of non-combatants in the war bound sections of northern Mexico are struggling to get out of the country. It is reported by refugees who have been able to reach the American border.

Many women and children have no means of transportation. Others are afraid to attempt to make a living in a country foreign to them, and still others are restrained by the fear that their property will fall into the hands of the insurrectos.

Seventeen families on the border near El Paso today applied to customs officials to be allowed to bring their horses and household goods into this country. They pleaded that they were tired of fighting to preserve their property at the risk of their lives.

Many families in Juarez are moving to the American side of the river because of persistent rumors that Juarez eventually will be attacked by the insurrectos.

Business in Juarez, however, continues seemingly as usual.

GENERAL CARTER REFUSED TO HAVE ANYTHING TO SAY

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 28.—General William H. Carter, who is in command of the immobilized troops here,

Fifteen years have passed since we introduced Trading Stamps. As a result of them, we have distributed Millions of Dollars' worth of merchandise in American homes without one penny's cost to them.

Hundreds of thousands of families have obtained comforts, utilities and luxuries, FREE, which otherwise would have cost them money.

Any man, woman or child who fails to get "S. & H." Stamps with cash purchases, fails to make the dollar go as far as it should.

Come Wednesday. Familiarize yourself with our premiums. Everything here is yours for "S. & H." Green Trading Stamps.

Save Hamilton Bonds and Coupons

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Thos. A. Sperry, Pres. Paid up Capital \$1,000,000.00
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AND
A. G. Pollard Co.
The Leading Stores in Lowell

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DOUBLE
STAMPS
With All
Purchases

68
Merrimack
Street.

SHELDON ARRESTED

Said to Have Been Involved in \$2,000,000 Embezzlement

PITTSBURG, March 28.—Charles D. Sheldon, alias Charles D. Washburn of Montreal, Canada, who is wanted in that city on charges of embezzlement and to involve nearly \$2,000,000, was arrested in the local financial district yesterday.

Sheldon, who is also known as C. W. Ross, admitted that he was a fugitive from Canada. When the detective approached Sheldon, he made a sensational attempt to escape, and was captured only after an exciting chase. When brought to the central police station, he called up a local stock broker and gave orders to close out their deals on the local stock exchange.

SHELDON DISAPPEARED OCT. 11

MONTREAL, March 28.—Charles D. Sheldon disappeared on October 11, leaving behind him, it is alleged, creditors to the amount of nearly \$2,000,000.

The indications at the present time for a successful season in the sale of automobiles in this city are very bright if what the local automobile dealers say can be taken as a criterion. Of course there are some pessimists who claim that it is going to be a dull year but the majority of the local men think otherwise and many of them have reason to believe that the sales this year will be far in excess of those in previous years.

There is an increased demand for large cars, although many cling to the idea that it is preferable to have the runabout, claiming that the first cost is less and the upkeep smaller, but the principal matter to take into consideration is the care of the car, whether large or small, and many owners of big passenger cars in Lowell today find that the cost of upkeep has been small, while on the other hand a number of owners of small cars have found that it is very expensive to operate an automobile, the latter are those who do not understand how to properly operate or care for the machine.

There are cars owned by Lowell men which have gone 10,000 miles and over during the last year without a single adjustment having been made, and in these cases the cost of upkeep has been small. This year, however, the commercial wagons and big trucks will attract more attention than heretofore and dealers expect that in comparison with other years there will be a bigger proportionate increase in the sale of commercial wagons than there will be in pleasure cars.

A few years ago the small commercial wagons were a rarity and until recently the sight of a heavy truck attracted more than passing attention even by the person who did not know the first thing about automobiles. In Lowell today there are about fifty commercial wagons and the continual increase in the sales of these vehicles is evidence that the wagons are doing better, quicker and more work than the horse drawn wagons and at a reduced expense.

One thing noticeable in Lowell; however, is the absence of many big trucks which carry from one and one-half to five tons. It is doubtful if there are more than three of these big trucks in Lowell, but it is expected that before the end of this season there will be scores of them running through the streets.

While there are a great many more pleasure cars in Lowell than in Lawrence, the down river city can boast of having almost ten times as many big trucks as are in this city.

It was noticed at the automobile show in Boston this year that the commercial vehicles attracted practically as many people as did the pleasure cars.

The Lowell Automobile Corporation in Appleton street is the scene of great activities these days and Manager Fred Emerson and Salesman Thomas B. Hustwick are of the opinion that there is a bright outlook for a very successful season. A number of sales have been made up to date, there are many prospective purchasers who have called and examined the different models of Oldsmobiles and Buicks and have signified their intention of purchasing within the next 30 days, and still again there are other people who do not purchase machines until just a short time before the formal opening of the automobile season.

Owing to the large amount of repair work on hand and inasmuch as some people wish to use their cars right away it was necessary to add to the corps of mechanics in order to get the work out as soon as possible. The wise automobile owners who do not intend to purchase new cars this season sent their cars to the garage last fall or early in the winter and the machines after getting a good overhauling are now ready for use.

The popularity of the Buick cars does not seem to have shown any signs of decreasing this year and Mr. Hustwick states that if the car did not show up during the past few seasons there would not be the demand for it that there is this season. Last week five cars were purchased and so far this week there have been two cars sold.

Mr. Achin said a combination chemical and hose would be the proper way for both the Branch street and High street engine houses.

Mr. Gargan moved, and it was voted that the committee start its tour of inspection, Thursday afternoon, at 1 o'clock.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The 31st anniversary of the organization of Court Merrimack, Foresters of America, will be observed tonight at the regular meeting to be held in Grafton hall. The committee in charge of the affairs was arranged an excellent program, which will be carried out at the close of the business meeting. The speakers for the occasion are: Grand Secretary Wm. H. Stafford, Past Grand Chief Ranger James J. Gallagher, Deputy Grand Chief Michael McFaulen, Branch No. 37, P. O. Clerk.

At the meeting of Branch No. 37, United National Association of Post Office Clerks George H. Gurney, Hirian C. Gordon, John H. Farwell and James L. O'Dea were elected delegates to represent the local clerks at the state convention to be held at Lawrence on May 30.

KILLS A Murderer

A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims, but Dr. King's New Life PHIS kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Chills, &c. at A. W. Dow & Co.

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Boston to Glasgow via Londonderry, Irelan, April 6. Hesperian, April 15; Numidian, April 27; Parisian, May 12. Rate, cabin steerage, £2.50; third class, £2.00 to Glasgow, Derry, Belfast, Liverpool.

DENIS MURPHY, 18 Appleton St.
FREDERIC B. LEEDS, 6 Bridge St.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

GREAT BUSINESS

For Lowell Automobile Dealers

MANY MACHINES SOLD THIS SPRING

Scores of Prospective Purchasers in Sight—The Big Touring Cars Are Attracting Attention—Big Increase in Commercial Wagons and Trucks Looked-For

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Those who are of the opinion that the steam machines are not as popular now as they have been in years past should have a talk with Tom Williston, agent for the Stanley, and if he cannot convince them that the steamer is the machine, no one else in this vicinity.

The Moody Bridge garage at the corner of Moody and Pawtucket streets, is a place of hustle and bustle, and many new cars have been shipped from the factories to that place during the past week. Sales of Knox and Oakland cars have been numerous this season.

Prof. Edmond H. Mercier, who conducts an auto livery, with headquarters at the City Hall garage, is a very busy man these days. He has been noted for the excellent care he uses and the efficient service. While business has been good with him all winter he will have his hands full in the future, and those who desire to use his service had better telephone their orders ahead of time.

Despite the fact that the auto police patrol has been in service for several months, it still attracts attention as it whizzes through the streets.

Harry Sanders, driver for Chief Hosmer, who has now mastered the intricacies of the new automobile, says he never realized until lately how far the self-propelled machine is to the horse.

Many inquiries have been made as to whether or not the drivers of the police and fire patrols had to secure licenses to operate the machines. According to the law it is not necessary.

At least one of the drivers of the police patrol has a chauffeur's license and it is understood that the drivers of the fire patrol and those who are driving the police patrol who have no licenses are soon to take examinations.

It is rumored that one of the large garages in this city is soon to change hands.

The reckless driving of automobiles through Merrimack square has caused considerable comment and should be stopped, for it endangers the lives of many, and causes many people to talk unfavorably of automobiles in general, which is a reflection on the careful drivers.

FLYING DUTCHMAN

JAGERSBURGER ENTERED IN INTERNATIONAL RACE

Joseph Jagersburger, "The Flying Dutchman," is the third Case racing team driver to enter in the 500-mile international sweepstakes race for a purse of \$25,000 over the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Memorial day, May 30, and the ninth entrant for that event. Jagersburger has been a strong contender in many of the big speed events of the country and has shown himself a fearless driver behind the wheel. He is a team mate of Louis Larsonneur and Lewis Strong, the latter being captain and manager of the team.

Jagersburger is a native of Vienna, Austria. He came to America in 1902 when he left C. L. Charley, with whom he had been demonstrating the Mercedes car in Paris for two years preceding. Leaving Paris he came to America with Mr. Harry Harkness, the New York multi-millionaire sportsman.

During the year 1902 Jagersburger handled the racing machines of Mr. Harkness. His most notable performance was at Elkwood Park on the 4th of July, 1903, when he made the American 100-mile track record. This performance was so good that it withstood the attacks of all other record-breakers for a period of three years.

George B. Dana, who conducts the garage and automobile salesrooms at the corner of East Merrimack and Stackpole streets, has a very attractive

display of Stevens-Duryea, Chalmers and Hudson cars. He reports a good business this year having sold many cars and has prospective buyers in hand. Mr. Dana has just returned after a 10-day business trip to the Stevens-Duryea factory at Chicopee Falls, Mass.

Robertson's baptism in the auto racing game.

Jagersburger coached and rode with Harry Harkness in all the runs he made and was with Mr. Harkness when he established his famous record up Mt. Washington in the Climax-to-the-Clouds from the base of the mount to the summit. Jagersburger also rode with Mr. Harkness when he established the New York to Boston record of 251 miles in 6 hours and 34 minutes. This record stands today and is one of the most remarkable long distance road runs ever accomplished.

Driving the Mercedes cars, Jagersburger took part in most of the track meets at the Empire City track, New York, and Reedyville track, Boston, Mass.

The last race in which Jagersburger participated was the Belmont race in Philadelphia last fall. The car which he handled was the property of and was to have been driven by Mr. Edward Schroeder, the millionaire owner of "Dixie No. 2," America's most famous racing boat. Mr. Schroeder had an accident three days before the race when he ran into a telegraph pole, and he then decided not to drive but agreed to let Jagersburger take the car providing he could repair it in time. By working three days and three nights, Jagersburger was able to put it in shape in time to start the race but without getting any chance for practice. Starting with these handicaps he made a most remarkable run, finishing third in a race in which thirty-two cars started.

Besides being a fearless driver,

Jagersburger has a reputation as one of the best motor constructors in the world. He spent four years in the Mercedes factory at Cannstadt, Germany, and his tutelage under the heads of that famous factory was a training that insures Jagersburger as being an expert.

LOWELL RACES

Now the Time to Dis-

cuss Plans

The question as to whether there will be any automobile races in Lowell is now being discussed in a general way, especially by the automobile owners and enthusiasts. If we are to have races plans should be formulated at once in order that the different details may be discussed at length. The races held in this city the year before last were certainly successful from a racing standpoint and if they were not from a financial standpoint, as many people thought they were not, the mistakes of the year before last should be rectified and Lowell be made the scene of some of the best races ever held in this country.

The course is ideal and there is

no slightest doubt that all of the big

drivers throughout the country would

come to this city if suitable prizes were

offered, for all who have tried the

course claim it the best in the country

for road racing.

The bill recently passed by the legis-

lature gives the city of Lowell and the

town of Tyngsboro permission to vote

relative to the holding of speed contests. Of course if the races are to be held there will be more or less kicking by disgruntled persons, some of whom reside on the course and others who always object to anything that is a benefit to a community and the public at large.

It is understood that there is a quiet

movement now on hand to conduct the

races and that in a short time an

announcement will be made, but those

who have been conducting the contests

heretofore on the Merrimack Valley course are not giving out any information.

If we are to have races let it be

for only two days, one day for light

cars and the other for the big cars.

Furthermore, it would be advisable not

to make such elaborate preparations

as for the last race.

Inflation of Tires

If every motorist would always be

careful to keep his tires inflated to the

proper riding pressure at least 40 per

cent. of tire trouble would be eliminated.

The majority of tires that go

wrong do so because they have been

hidden without sufficient inflation.

The weakest part of a pneumatic tire is the

side walls, for here most of the bend-

ing action takes place. The more the

side walls are bent the sooner they will

break down and separate. If a tire

is run partially inflated this bending

action is violent and the tire is bent

sharply every time it hits an ob-

struction. If a tire is kept properly in-

flated the converse is true. The average

motorist wastes his tires unless they

look fairly round under a load and

then lets them go at it. But the tire

may be perfectly round under load and

yet have only forty-five pounds of air

in it when it should have ninety.

No amount of kicking or feeling or looking

at the outside of the tire will tell

what the air pressure is inside.

The use of

a reliable air pressure register is the

only way to accurately determine

whether or not your tires are suf-

ficiently inflated.

AUTO OWNERS

HAVE FILED PETITION FOR AN

EASIER LAW

BOSTON, March 25.—The committee

on roads and bridges gave a hearing

REBUILDING BRIDGE

B. & M. Road Begins Work on Gorham Street Structure

The Boston & Maine railroad is preparing to build a new overhead bridge in Gorham street. The company has already raised the old bridge and the Bleachery station, the rails in both cases being about 18 inches. The work of raising the bridge and station and the necessary grading will require six or seven weeks. One of the tracks has been taken up and for the time being the inward and outward trains are using the same rail.

WORK OF ART

COMPLETED BY LOWELL MAN FOR HOBOKEN AUTHORITIES

William R. Haag, a clever young artist of this city, recently in the employ of the P. R. Warren Co., has just completed an elaborately engrossed set of resolutions for the board of education of West Hoboken, N. J., on the death of Robert Waters, former supervisor of schools. The resolutions are a work of art and include a representation of education and its lamp burnished out with the female figure of Education placing a laurel wreath on the grave of the deceased. A portrait of the deceased in water colors is a feature of the memorial. The general work is what is known as the wash drawing process while the name of the deceased in large letters is of embossed engrossing.

TWO ACCIDENTS

INJURED MEN ATTENDED AT EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

William F. Moran of 18 Pollard street, this city, received burns on his left hand while working in a Lawrence bobbin shop last week, and paid no attention to the wound. Blood poisoning set in and yesterday the man applied at the Emergency hospital for treatment.

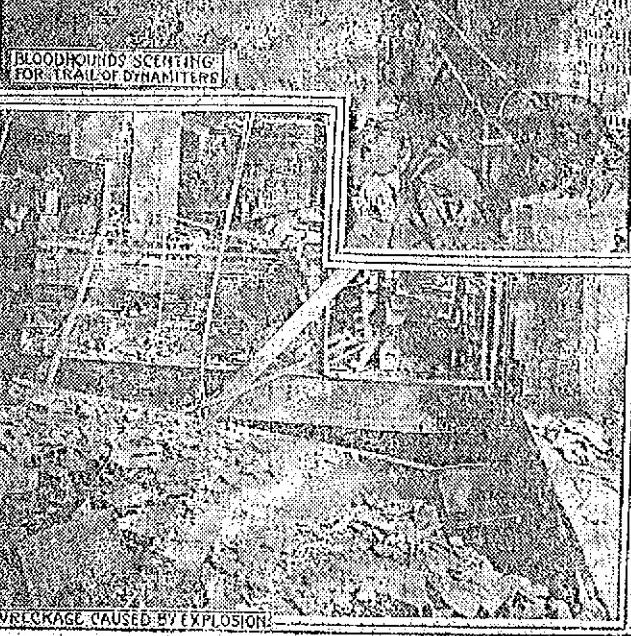
Robert Balley, aged 40 years, suffered a painful accident while working at the Union market in Middlesex street this forenoon. Mr. Balley, who is a meat cutter, went in the rear shop, and there in some unaccountable manner came in contact with a large hook suspended from the ceiling, and suffered a bad scalp wound. The injured man was removed to the Emergency hospital, where Dr. Arthur W. G. Slathers closed the wound by taking four stitches.

FUNERALS

MANDEVILLE—The funeral of the late Antoine Mandeville took place at 2 o'clock yesterday from his late home, 504 Suffolk street, and was largely attended by friends and relatives of the deceased. The bearers were Napoleon Daigle, Théophile Courtois, Arthur Dionne, Louis Mandeville, Napoleon L'Heureux and Paul Marchand. The Bartenders' union was represented by John J. Quirk, Robert J. Riley, James E. Sullivan and William Bucke. Among the floral tributes were a large cross on base, from the Bartenders' union, another cross on base with inscription "At Rest" Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gammon; large spray, Louis Mandeville. Burial was in the Edson cemetery in charge of Undertaker Amedee Archambault.

HERLIHY—The funeral of the late Miss Annie Herlihy, a devout attendant of St. Patrick's church, took place yesterday at 8:30 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. Florence Donahue, 132 Mt. Vernon street, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends, including a number from out of town. Among the latter were Mr.

PARTIALLY BUILT COURTHOUSE WAS DAMAGED BY DYNAMITE



OMAHA, Neb., March 28.—The fact generally damaged by the explosion, which shook the entire neighborhood, into play to discover if possible the identity of the men who attempted to destroy by dynamite the partially finished Douglas county courthouse here evidenced the strong determination of the authorities to trace the perpetrators of the deed. The structure was the haycock caused by the blowup.

INVESTIGATION INTO NEW YORK CITY FIRE HORROR IS BEGUN



NEW YORK, March 28.—Fire Marshal Beers has begun at Fire hall a formal investigation into the fire in the Asch building, at Washington place and Greene street, in which about 150 persons, employees of the Triangle Shirt Waist company, mostly girls, lost their lives. District Attorney Whitman expressed the belief that there is material for a sweeping investigation by the grand jury to determine who is responsible for the conditions that prevailed in the building—conditions that are said to be common to most of the tall fireproof factory buildings in Manhattan. The grand jury will inspect

the scene of the fire. Fire Commissioner Waldo and Chief Edward Croker, have publicly expressed their indignation at what they term the laxity of factory inspection in this city. Mayor Gaynor has issued an appeal for help for the families of the victims. These were some of the results of the deep feelings of horror and sympathy aroused by the worst disaster New York has had since the General Slocum steamboat fire. The accompanying photos show views at the scene of the fire. The hole in the pavement was caused by the impact of falling bodies, revealing the force of their fall. The elevator door shown was pushed aside by frantic girls, and sixty of them plunged down the shaft over 100 feet to their death. Fire Chief Edward Croker did not hesitate to express the alarming opinion that there were many buildings in the city every bit as dangerous as the Asch building. "There are buildings rated as fireproof, there are office buildings," he said, "that are likely to stir the people any day over a big loss of life. I predict this loss of life, and I predict an even greater loss of life unless fire escapes are put on all buildings in which there are a great number of persons, such as this one."

THE K. OF C. FIVE

Won Two Points From St. Peter's

The Knights of Columbus team of the Catholic league won two points and the total from the St. Peter's team last night.

Bernard of the knights was high

man with a single of 117 and a triple of 326.

J. E. Donohoe of the losing

team went over the 300 mark, having

one in each of the three strings.

Two teams made up of members of the Manufacturers' league, which sea-

son came to close several weeks ago,

met on the Crescent alleys last night

and the First team defeated the second

team by a score of 1415 to 1385. Pit-

bury of the winning team, with a triplo

of 318, was the only man to go over

the 300 mark.

In the Minor league series the tro-

quals won two points from the Check-

ers. Fielding of the winning team

was high man. The scores:

CATHOLIC LEAGUE

K. of C.	1	2	3	T
Conn.	55	103	96	257
Louis.	64	89	79	232
Patton.	101	101	101	303
Schwartz.	56	61	54	171
J. F. Donohoe.	83	80	85	248
Totals.	450	459	461	1379

St. Peter's

	Strings	Ave.
H. Sheppard, L. 8	24	90.13
Riley, H. 970	24	87.14
McElroy, L. 8	13	87.9
Brown, L. 5	21	87.6
Richardson, L. 8	36	88.22
Rogers, H. 970	30	86.21
Edwards, L. 8	36	86.16
Conpton, L. 5	6	86
Langrave, H. 970	36	85.32
Caldwell, H. 970	24	85.22
Hall, H. 970	21	85.18
F. Gilbert, L. 8	31	85.11
C. Shepard, H. 970	24	85.11

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

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BENEDICT MACQUARIE, AS HORATIO DRAKE IN "THE CHRISTIAN."

THE OPERA HOUSE

"The Christian," the popular religious and moral drama from the pen of Hall Caine, was presented before a large audience at the Lowell Opera House last night. The rendition of this difficult play was superb, and all the performers deserve credit for their fine playing especially Forrest Stanley in the leading role that of Hon. John Storm, and Frances Whitehouse as Glory Quayle. These two, are well known on the Lowell stage, and their work is being appreciated to the limit. They scored highly last night as did Benedict MacQuarrie as Horatio Drake.

The scene of the play is known to most people, as it is a very popular and successful one. It tells the story of a young nobleman in England, with every advantage that the world and a vast wealth can offer, and whose father has planned out a great career for him in state affairs. But the young man, John Storm by name, has decided against the things of the world and wishes to enter the church, which he does. John loves a girl, Glory Quayle, and it is around this girl that the extremely delicate and particularly exciting plot is woven.

Glory went to London to seek a career, and fell into the hands of a few unscrupulous men and women, who were seeking to destroy her body and soul. The methods by which they

connive at her destruction and how they were thwarted by John Storm, form the basis of the play, and in no detail does it lack interest. The entire performance as given at the Opera House last night was most satisfactory, and the management left no stone unturned to make it successful. The scenery was particularly beautiful, and excellently portrayed the different places in which action takes place.

The cast:

Hon. John Storm.....	Forrest Stanley
Lord Storm.....	Russell Clark
Horatio Drake.....	Benedict MacQuarrie
Lord Robert Ure.....	Charles J. Hayes
Archdeacon Wealthy Bartley McCullum	
Father Lamplough.....	Herbert LeRoy
Parson Quayle.....	Frank Christie
The Manager.....	Frank Bertrand
The Furo King.....	E. H. Snow
Brother Paul.....	Albert Hanna
Eliza.....	Anna Kiley
Miss Callender.....	Geraldine Russell
Polly Love.....	Mary Sanders
Betty.....	Laura Danian
Lotty.....	Arla Farren
Glory Quayle.....	Frances Whitehouse
Citizens, People of the Slums,	
Prologue—The telling grounds in the	
ruins of Peel Castle, Isle of Man,	
Lover's Cross Roads.	

The performance will be repeated each afternoon and night of this week, with the exception of Friday, when

the curtain will be drawn at 8 P.M.

"The Lottery Man" will be the attraction.

THE LOTTERY MAN.
In spite of the fact that it is contrary to law, a lottery will be conducted in this city next Friday, March 31, at which time the drawing will take place on the stage of the Opera House. The prize will be a young, handsome and marriageable man, in fact the lottery is so conducted that only women are allowed to participate in the "spoil."

The prize in question is Cyril Scott, perhaps one of the best known leading men of the American stage. Mr. Scott, of course is the "lottery man" in the play of the same name, which, now, after its long engagement at the Bijou theatre is being sent to this city for the first time by the Messrs. Shubert.

The story, by Rita Johnson Young, author of "Brown of Harvard" is far away one of the most interesting that has ever been woven into dramatic form for comedy. Jack Wright, a New York newspaper reporter, borrows money for the editor, Foxy Payton. As security, he gives his promise that in the event he loses the money, he will write one of the biggest exclusive news stories the paper has ever published. The reporter loses and he is sorely beaten when it behoves him to produce the "coop."

However he makes good with a vengeance. He outlines a plan for the paper to conduct a lottery, selling tickets at one dollar a piece and offers himself as the prize. The first day the story appears, over one thousand old maids clamor for the coupons. Money seems to be no object. Meantime Jack falls in love with Helene Heyer and from then on, his one aim is to defeat his own scheme.

"Imagine the horror of thinking the first woman you meet on the street may be your wife," says the reporter. So all hands set about purchasing coupons. The lucky number, however, falls into the hands of the servant in the Payton home. Lizzie (Helen Lowell, the original Miss Hazy in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch") steals the ticket and claims Jack as her lawful husband. She is threatened with arrest and finally disposes and the coupon falls into the hands of Helene. The cast is the original one.—Adv.

"MADAME X"

Not in many years has a dramatic performance won such universal approval from the critics of Boston as that which was extended to Madame X, which will be seen at the Opera House on Wednesday April 5, matinee and night. There was a unanimity of opinion among the fraternity of writers upon dramatic topics who vied with one another in extolling to Henry W. Savage's production every praise in their vocabularies. This was a repetition of the experience in New York, where Madame X made the most astonishing record of any drama in many years, playing nearly two seasons to crowded houses.

The original production and cast are to be seen here. Dorothy Donnelly plays the drug-drenched wretch, who kills her paramour later to be defended in the French Assize Court by her own son whom she has not seen since infancy and whom she does not recognize until it is revealed to her in one of the tense moments of the play. Miss Donnelly has made a wonderful impression as Madame X.

She has been accorded the palm as the most convincing emotional actress of the stage. She is assisted by Malcolm Williams, Robert Peter Gibbs, W. H. Denby, Harry C. Bradley, Ralph Morgan, Boyd Nolan, James McPherson and Anna Cronshaw.—Adv.

COLONIAL THEATRE

Snaps, singing, and originally mark the bill at the Colonial this week. The vaudeville includes Teld and Clara Sizle, an exceptionally clever pair of comedians, with a line of real live songs and tapology that keeps the audience in an uproar throughout their entire act. The Great La Vells, trapeze artist and contortionist, whose daring tricks and stunts have won him fame from coast to coast. Frank Phillips, novelty singer and dancer. His skill is remarkable. The motion pictures and illustrated songs are the latest and best that can be produced, carefully selected to entertain and amuse our patrons. Get the habit of going to the Colonial. Entire charge of bill Thursday. Don't forget the amateurs tonight.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A pleasing program was presented at this house yesterday and one that will be entertaining to its patrons. blonde Robinson and Bessie have an electric knockabout singing and dancing novelty that will be sure to provoke laughter. Alex. Wilson, the clever ventriloquist, has an array of mechanical dolls and amuses in a clever manner with some drill comedy. The Tremont quartet is a worthy organization of singers.

The rendition of the famous old ballad, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," is among the best numbers. The pictures are all of the very latest and contain a thrilling railroad story.—Adv.

THEATRE VOYONS

What is destined to be a big success is "The Way of the Transgressor," the feature picture at the Theatre today and never yet has a picture so carefully shown the downward course of a man and the exciting brushes he may have with the authorities.

Its story is logical, forceful and every bit exciting. A charming sentimental story "The Test of Love" is finely staged and admirably acted and the comedy brings plenty of laughs. The musical program features Jack Manning, an old Lowell favorite, who is even in better voice than when he sang in Lowell some time ago.—Adv.

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Several members who have figured as strong advocates of Mr. Sheehan acknowledged in declaring their votes that his election had ceased to be a possibility and that the reconvening of the caucus released them from whatever pledges might have been incurred by attendance upon the first caucus.

This was the general impression among the Sheehan advocates, who expressed the opinion that the balloting today would follow closely the lines of last night's caucus vote and that the reconvening of the caucus tonight would mark the beginning of the end of the most protracted contest which this state has ever known.

Notwithstanding his reiterated declinations Gov. John A. Dix received one vote.

Several of the members in announcing their choice scored the insurgents for their alleged apostasy and cowardice.



DONALD MEEK.

HATHAWAY THEATRE

That the audience at the Hathaway theatre last evening was thoroughly enthralled by the spell of James A. Herne's great play, "Shore Acres," was most strikingly demonstrated as the curtain descended on the final act. It is almost an invincible custom of Lowell audiences to get busy with their wraps several minutes before the full of the curtain, but not so at "Shore Acres," for although there is absolute silence on the stage for more than a minute as old Uncle "Nat" calls in the cat, puts out the kitchen light and slowly climbs the stairs to bid the audience never moved, and when the curtain fell they remained long enough to call back Mr. Meek.

"Shore Acres" is all that has been claimed for it, a clean and wholesome story of rural New England life, and it was presented admirably by the Donald Meek Stock company with the following cast:

Nathaniel Berry.....Donald Meek
Martin Berry.....Harry C. Arnold
(Brothers, Keepers of the Berry Light House.)
Joel Gates, a grass widower,
Daniel McCabe
Josiah Blake, a storekeeper and postmaster.....James A. Davett
Sam Warren, a young physician,
George J. Morgan
Capt. Ben Hutchins, a skipper of the "Liddy Ann".....Tom Hall
Doctor Leonard.....Sam Green
Squire Andrews.....Martha Miskell
Neighbors.

Young Nat. Berry, Martin's boy, Charles Cramble
Young Bob Berry, Martin's boy, Marguerite Fay
The Mail Driver.....Jack Keller
Ann Berry, Martin's wife.....Ada Allen
Helen Berry, their daughter, Michelle Estelle
Mrs. Andrews.....Mrs. Dan McCabe
Mrs. Leonard.....Marie Walsh
Miller, Martin's daughter, Isabel Balester
Mandy Gates, Joel's child, Doris Dutton

The story of "Shore Acres" has been told in these columns before and it is a play that one can witness again and again without tiring, when presented so cleverly and so completely as it is now being presented by the Donald Meek company. Many competent actors have played the character of Nathaniel Berry since Mr. Meek. His make-up was certainly characteristic to begin with his twang and enunciation perfectly natural and at no time overdone, while his sudden changes from smile provoking humor to a blushing pathos were done in a most artistic manner. The story of the fate of the father of the two brothers told in the first act by Nathaniel brought tears to many an eye while the fears of mirth chased them away. In the second act, when Uncle Nat supervises the cooking and serving of the celebrated turkey dinner with lashings of cranberry sauce and other good things. The turkey was a real one and the members of the company appeared to enjoy it hugely, particularly Dan McCabe who got after a "drumstick" like a true actor. In the third act Mr. Meek showed fine dramatic work when Uncle Nat driven to desperation at last asserts himself before his overbearing brother Martin. And finally in the closing act, Uncle Nat is back with the children and full of good humor which is certainly infectious and the play closes with everyone supremely happy, including the audience. "Nathaniel Berry" is one of the best things that Mr. Meek has done this season, and that is saying much and the fact that it is a radical departure from his customary line of work is the best evidence of his fine art and versatility.

Miss Estelle, always charming whatever her part may be, was at her best as Helen Berry. Her emotional work was clear cut while in the lighter moments she was captivating. Miss Ada Allen as Ann Berry scored a pronounced hit. Miss Allen was completely at home in the part. Misses Isabelle Balester and Miss Dutton, while having little to do, enhanced the homelike beauty of the scenes. Harry C. Arnold was most acceptable in the character of Martin Berry. His work was cleverly done throughout. The other characters were well taken and there was not a weak spot in the cast. A feature of the cast which demonstrated the completeness of detail in presenting the play was the presence on the stage of a live baby which went through the act without a murmur. Many thought at first he was a "prop" but when the little one stretched his tiny arms and gave one healthy yawn in full view of the audience the latter expressed its surprise and delight in applause. The scenery, specially prepared, was elaborate and correct in all its detail while the costumes were just as you'd find in any little fisher town in Maine. "Shore Acres" should draw packed houses during the week.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

BIG CELEBRATION IS CONTINUED

IN ROME.

ROME, March 28.—The celebration of the 50th anniversary of the proclamation of Rome as the capital of united Italy by the Italian parliament was continued today amid popular rejoicing. King Victor and Queen Helena visited the historic castle of San Angelo, where they viewed the magnificent Italian exhibition of the art of the Middle Ages and Renaissance objects.

They were received by Count Di San Martino, president of the committee.

Twelve other pavilions representing the art of many foreign countries make up the international exhibition. The exhibition will be open for a prolonged period.

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Several members who have figured as strong advocates of Mr. Sheehan acknowledged in declaring their votes that his election had ceased to be a possibility and that the reconvening of the caucus released them from whatever pledges might have been incurred by attendance upon the first caucus.

This was the general impression among the Sheehan advocates, who expressed the opinion that the balloting today would follow closely the lines of last night's caucus vote and that the reconvening of the caucus tonight would mark the beginning of the end of the most protracted contest which this state has ever known.

Notwithstanding his reiterated declinations Gov. John A. Dix received one vote.

Several of the members in announcing their choice scored the insurgents for their alleged apostasy and cowardice.

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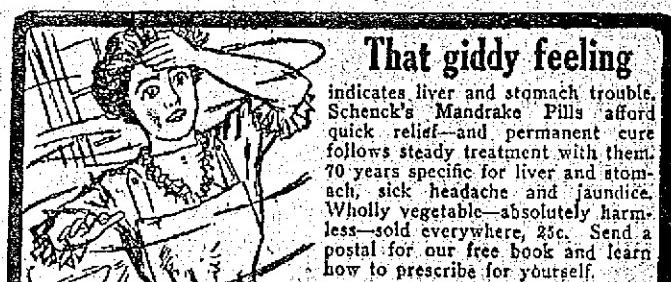
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HAS BEEN TIED UP IN THE COURTS

GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., March 23.

The \$12,000,000 bequest to Princeton university by Isaac Wyman who died about a year ago in Massachusetts, leaving his entire estate to Princeton, has been tied up in Colorado courts by the filing of a demand by W. S. Phillips that an administrator be appointed for the estate in Colorado. Phillips, who is a distant relative of Wyman, claims \$103,600 is due him from the estate.

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THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

We do not believe that Governor Foss appreciates the full meaning of our Lowell celebration on April 19. He has refused his approval to a measure granting Lowell a portion of the \$25,000 for celebrating Patriots' day. It is Lowell's duty to honor the memory of the three proto-martyrs of the war. In having the distinction of giving the first martyrs to the war, our city has a special reason for celebrating the opening of the war. Furthermore, as the governor suggests that we celebrate peace instead of war. May we ask what is celebrated on April 19 but the opening of the revolution, the battle of Lexington and Concord? That three Lowell men fell in the streets of Baltimore in the first real battle of the Civil war may not be a proper subject for commemoration in the opinion of Governor Foss; but Lowell elects to honor their memory, and she will do so without a state appropriation and regardless of the expressed opinions of the governor to the contrary.

SENATOR MONEY'S LAST SPEECH

Ex-Senator Money of Mississippi is a veteran of the Confederate army. His service in the United States senate terminated with the last congress and the last speech he made there was delivered in opposition to the filibustering episodes under which that congress passed into history. Senator Money occupied a peculiar position, for in spite of the democratic victory, he as a democratic senator was retired. In glossing over the situation and rather expressing a fellow feeling with some republicans who were also left outside the breast works, he quoted these lines from a Greek poet of the age of Pericles, a contemporary of Sappho and known as Archilochus:

Tossed on a sea of troubles, Soul, my Soul,
Thyself do thou control;
And to the weapons of advancing foes
A stubborn breast oppose;
Undaunted 'mid the hostile might
Of squadrons burning for the fight.
Thine be no boasting when the victor's crown
Wins thee deserved renown;
Thine no defected sorrow, when defeat
Would urge a base retreat;
Rejoice in joyous things—not over much
Let grief thy bosom touch
Midst evil, and still bear in mind
How changeful are the ways of human kind.

For a poetical sentiment penned 700 years before the Christian era, this stanza is quite remarkable, although not more so than some passages in Homer dating to a still earlier period. Could anything better be selected as balm for the feelings of a defeated candidate?

FIRE DRILLS AND MORE FIRE ESCAPES

The day of the fire drill in large factories has arrived. In every factory in which any large number of people are employed there should be a fire drill at least once a month in order to train the operatives how to get out of the building by different exits with safety and in the shortest possible time. The New York horror of Saturday has demonstrated the absolute necessity of such a scheme. There should be a law making such drills compulsory and fixing the space of time in which a building of given dimensions should be cleared. This could be arranged by giving heads of fire departments power to order fire drills in factories whenever they deem it expedient as a precaution against the sudden outbreak of fire.

The fire horror in which 141 lives were lost late Saturday afternoon in the East Side of New York city, shows beyond question the most outrageous neglect on the part of some of the public officials.

Chief Croker of the fire department says that he has been telling the officials that just such a calamity would occur, but they have evidently paid little attention to his warnings. He now makes the statement that other fires, even worse, are liable to occur at any time in other parts of New York city.

It is to be presumed that Chief Croker knows what he is talking about, and if his statement be correct one of two things is certain, either the laws are very deficient in regard to such matters or else they are not enforced.

New York is noted for falling asleep in regard to such matters until a horror of this kind wakes up the community. Then they investigate and talk about going to the opposite extreme, but after all very little is done.

The General Slocum horror is recalled as another proof of the manner in which public officials permitted steamship companies to evade the law until a whole ship load of picnickers were burned alive.

The ten-story building in which this shirtwaist factory was located on the upper floors had no outside fire escapes; but it is stated that there were fire escapes in the light shafts. As well put a fire escape in a large chimney as in an air or light shaft which in case of fire is the great conductor for the smoke and flames.

There is here evolved the problem of providing proper protection for the skyscrapers either by outer fire escapes or some other means that will afford the necessary security. The demand is imperative, and while it appeals directly to New York, yet it is the duty of every other city to see whether it has any fire trap such as that in which over 140 lives were lost in less than half an hour Saturday afternoon.

Where the laws are defective they should be amended at once; where the building ordinances permit high buildings to be erected without adequate protection in case of fire, they should be promptly changed; and where the officials responsible for the enforcement of these laws are negligent, they should be as promptly removed to make way for men who will do their duty.

If the law compelled the owners of skyscrapers to make due provision against fire, these buildings might not be so popular. It is not enough to have fire-proof construction if the floors be littered with inflammable material as in the case of the New York shirtwaist factory. It is necessary also for the protection of the occupants to limit the height of the buildings so that the upper stories may not be entirely beyond reach of the fire departments.

It will be interesting to see what the New York officials will do to prevent other fire horrors of the same kind. Their investigations will serve little purpose except to show that some official or more probably a number of officials in authority were wholly negligent of their simple duty in not providing proper safeguards for the occupants of high buildings in case of fire.

SEEN AND HEARD

"Washington was born Friday, Shakespeare was born Friday, America was discovered Friday, Richmond was evacuated Friday, Lucky Friday."

"The girl who laughs—life needs her, There is never an hour so sad But wakes and thrills To the rippling trills Of the laugh of the girl who's glad."

DAVY AND THE GOBLIN
(The story Robinson Crusoe told Davy.)
The night was thick and hazy
When the Piccadilly Daisy
Carried down the crew and captain in
the sea;
And I think the water drowned 'em;
For they never, never found 'em,
And I know they didn't come ashore
with me.

Oh! 'twas very sad and lonely
When I found myself the only
Population on this cultivated shore;
But I've made a little tavern,
In a rocky little cavern,
And I sit and watch for people at the
door.

I spent no time in looking
For a girl to do my cooking,
As I'm quite a clever hand at making
steaks.

But I had that fellow Friday,

Just to keep the tavern tidy,

And to put a Sunday polish on my
shoes.

I have a little garden
That I'm cultivating lard in.

As the things I eat are rather tough
and dry;

For I live on toasted lizards,

Friedly pears and parrot gizzards,

And I'm really very fond of beetle pie.

The clothes I had were furry,

And it made me fret and worry,

When I found the moths were eating
off the hair;

And I had to scrape and sand 'em,

And boiled 'em and I fanned 'em,

Till I got the fine morocco suit I wear.

I sometimes seek diversion
In a family excursion

With the few domestic animals you
see;

And we take along a carpet,

As refreshment for the parrot,

And a little case of jungleberry tea.

Then we gather as we travel
Bits of moss and dirty gravel,

And we chip off little specimens of
stone!

And we carry home as prizes
Funny bugs of handy sizes

Just to give the day a scientific tone.

If the roads are wet and muddy
We remain at home and study—

For the goat is very clever at a sum—

And the Dog, instead of fighting,

Studies ornamental writing,

While the Cat is taking lessons on the
drum.

We retire at eleven,

And we rise again at seven;

And I wish to call attention, as I
close.

To the fact that all the scholars
Are correct about their collars,

And particular in turning out their
toes.

—Charles E. Carroll.

Stand to your work and be strong,
Waiting not in your ways;

Stand to your work and be wise,
Certain of sword and pain,

Ye who are neither children nor gods,
But men in a world of men.

—Kipling.

"Whether any particular day shall
bring to you more of happiness or suffering,
is largely beyond your power to
determine; whether each day of your

Wash That Itch Away

It is said that there are certain
springs in Europe that give relief and
cure to Eczema and other skin diseases.

If you knew that by washing

in these waters you could be relieved

from that awful itch, wouldn't you
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the men with whom it is thy portion
to live, and that with a sincere affection."

Popularity, good fellowship, ease,
contentment, and next-door reputa-
tions are the bribes for which we
sell the integrity of our own souls.

—Hubbard.

Don't crowd; the world is large
enough.

For you as well as me;

The doors of all are open wide—

The realm of thought is free.

In all earth's places you are right

To chase the best you can—

Provided that you do not try

To crowd some other man.

Don't crowd the good from out your
heart

By fostering all that's bad;

But give to every virtue room—

The best that may be had;

Make each day's record such a one

That you might well be proud;

Give each his right—give each his

room,

And never try to crowd.

—Charles Dickens.

PANAMA CANAL

SIX REASONS URGED AGAINST
ITS FORTIFICATION

The following reasons why the
Panama canal should not be fortifi-
ed are being circulated throughout
the country:

A Strong Appeal

A statement embodying six reasons
why the Panama canal should be neu-
tralized, bearing the signatures of men
and women, prominent in the United
States and abroad, has been made

public. Richard Olney, former secre-
tary of state; David Starr Jordan,
president of Leland Stanford, Jr. uni-
versity; William Dean Howells, author;

Charles P. Anderson, Protestant Epis-
copal bishop of Chicago; William H.
Faure, president of Hull University;
Jane Addams, of Hull House, Chi-
cago; George B. Holt, justice of the
United States district court, and George
Foster Peabody, the New York banker,
are among the sponsors of the docu-
ment. The statement follows:

"First—Because, in the words of
Hon. David J. Foster, chairman of the
committee on foreign affairs in the
house of representatives, the initial ex-
pense of the necessary fortifications
would not be less than \$25,000,000, in

ON PATRIOTS' DAY

Lowell Will Have Celebration Despite Veto

While Governor Has Vetoed Appropriation He Will Order the Sixth Regiment to Lowell Which is Equivalent to an Appropriation of \$2000

While Governor Foss has vetoed the bill calling for an appropriation of \$3500 for the observance of the 19th of April in this city, there will be a celebration just the same.

The governor's veto, while a great disappointment to everyone in Lowell, is not so crushing when it is known that the governor has stated that he will order the entire Sixth regiment to Lowell on April 19th, which is equivalent to an appropriation of \$2000 or \$2500.

Several days ago Governor Foss informed members of the committee, that while he hoped to see the Lowell celebration an entire success, he felt conscientiously opposed to the appropriation of any money intended for local purposes. There was some talk last evening of the possibility of passing the measure over the veto, but the committee does not care to discuss that proposition. The governor is to be the guest of the city during the celebration. Major Charles S. Proctor, chairman

Health and Beauty Advice

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

G. E. A.: When you wear a veil face powder will not hold your complexion longer than two hours. Use a good oil base.

Cora S.: (a) As your hair is short and thin and you have so much trouble to make it stay up and look neat, try shampooing it twice a month with a teaspoonful of canthox dissolved in a cup of hot water. This shampoo is one generally used by the best hair-dressers to make the hair look soft and lustrous. It produces an abundant lather which not only cleans the hair and scalp well, but stops all irritation and gives the scalp a feeling of pleasing freshness. Canthox makes a delightful shampoo and will make your hair soft and fluffy. You will have little trouble then to make your hair look neat. (b) Use soap or shampoo, as it makes the hair brittle, harsh and takes away the glossy look.

Charlotte: The quickest way to rid the face of its hairy growth is to employ depilatory. This is easy to use and can be found at any drug store. Get an ounce of depilatory and mix a little with water to make a thick paste; then spread on hairy surface and after two or three minutes remove and wash off in warm water. The hairs are gone. You will have to pay a dollar, an ounce for depilatory, but it is worth it as a second application seldom is required.

Loella: Premature aging of hair is very disconcerting and mars womanly beauty, but you can soon restore the fine blonde and glossy that if you get an ounce of depilatory and mix it with a half pint of cold water, and add two teaspoonsful of glycerine. Let it stand an hour or so. It is inexpensive and you will find its regular use will improve your skin wonderfully. It keeps the skin soft and satiny, smooth and moist. Almozo cream jelly is a fine and soothing cleanser and prevents blackheads, premature wrinkling and wrinkles. Used as a massage cream will restore color to dark, yellow skin.

Constance: Right now before warm weather sets in, the best time to get rid of facial blemishes such as freckles, pimples, scars, roughness, wrinkles, etc., is to wash the face with soap or the like very often, as it makes the skin dry and harsh. I recommend the use of a good greaseless face cream, which can be made by dissolving one ounce of almozo (gel) at any druggist's in one-half pint cold water, and add two teaspoonsful of glycerine.

Let it stand an hour or so. It is inexpensive and you will find its regular use will improve your skin wonderfully. It keeps the skin soft and satiny, smooth and moist. Almozo cream jelly is a fine and soothing cleanser and prevents blackheads, premature wrinkling and wrinkles. Used as a massage cream will restore color to dark, yellow skin.

Harriet: For your tired, dull, fatigued eyes you need a good eye tonic. Dissolve an ounce of crystals in a pint of water. Two or three drops of this in each eye daily will strengthen your eyes and make them bright and sparkling again. If you are not able to find a good eye tonic, buy those which have proven a great aid to those who wear glasses. A friend of mine who has remarkably clear, beautiful eyes tells me that she uses this simple tonic regularly to keep them bright and full of expression. I find it excellent for weak, infirmed, tired eyes and granulated eyelids.

Inez G.: Don't worry; almost everybody else has the same trouble. All the signs of aging manifest themselves and what you require to overcome the pimply, "muddy" complexion with is a good system tonic and regulator. You can easily make it yourself. Get from your druggist an ounce of kardene and one-half pint alcohol and one ounce quinolin and mix it with one-half pint water and you will have a much better tonic than any of those ready prepared tonics you have been buying.

Brush your hair daily and twice a week apply this tonic to the scalp, rubbing it gently. This will do wonders for your dull, lifeless, falling hair, and put your scalp in a healthy condition. This tonic will make your hair soft, silky and lustrous. Keep

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of the general committee, purposely kept all plans in abeyance pending the final disposition of the appropriation bill. The celebration will now be planned to come within the \$3500 available. It is likely that only the Lowell company of the Ninth regiment will appear in the parade. The secretary of war has promised Congressman Ames that he will detail the regulars to come here from the Boston forts if their railroad fare is met, and the Congressman has been instructed to notify him that this requirement will be met.

The banquet will pay for itself and hence will not come from the general appropriation. The banquet will be for men and women.

WORK ON STREETS

Considered by Committee Last Evening

City Engineer Bowers made his last appearance at a meeting of the committee on streets, at city hall last evening when all the members of that committee assembled to discuss a huge pile of petitions for street improvements in different parts of the city. Alderman Barrett presided and after due deliberation the committee took the following action on the matters before it:

Petition for the acceptance of edges-tones and sidewalk on White street, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for the acceptance of West Fifth avenue from Wright street westward to McGregor's, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for edges-tones and concrete sidewalk at the corner of Waimesit and Lawrence streets, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for repaving of Moody street bridge and a portion of Moody street to Sixth avenue, estimate asked to 25 before April 1, is the announcement of President Murphy, who has just returned from the south. Pitchers Toney and "Pepper" Griffin, First Baseman Victor Salter and Third Baseman Jimmy Doyle are the four who have survived the test.

Petition for the widening of Rogers street, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for changes of grade in Knapp avenue, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for macadamizing of Wentworth avenue and Laurel street, leave to withdraw.

Petition for acceptance of a sidewalk in front of the premises at 154 Parkview avenue, leave to withdraw.

Petition for macadamizing of Smith street, estimate asked.

Petition for macadamizing of Middlesex street from Pawtucket street to Chelmsford line, estimate asked for work from Pawtucket street to Baldwin street.

Petition for acceptance of Llewellyn street from First street to Reservoir street, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition to discontinue street watering in Humphrey street, hearing ordered for date later than April 13.

Petition for macadamizing of portion of Exeter street, hearing ordered for date later than April 13.

Petition that Beaulieu street be accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that Brookings street be laid out and accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that French street from John street to Bridge street be laid out and accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that Dundee street be accepted from Aberdeen street to Merrill avenue, view and hearing ordered.

Petition that Burton street be accepted, view and hearing ordered.

Petitions for acceptance of sidewalk of edges-tones and cinders in Dartmouth street, view and hearing ordered.

Petition for the extension of Stromquist avenue to Lundberg street, view voted.

Petition for the macadamizing of Aiken avenue from West Sixth street to the Draught line, view ordered.

Petition for the macadamizing of Aiken street and Lillie avenue; view ordered.

Petition for the repaving of Moody street bridge and a portion of Moody street, estimate asked, to work in vitrified brick and block paving.

Communication from the board of trade relative to systematic paving for the next five years; accepted and ordered on file.

Petition for acceptance of Glenwood street; view ordered.

Petition for macadamizing of Gates street; view ordered.

Petition for acceptance of Hazel street; view and hearing ordered.

Petition for macadamizing of Dalton street from Lillie avenue to Ennell street; view and hearing ordered.

Petition for the acceptance and extension of Stratham and Dearfield streets; view and hearing ordered.

Petition that Bridge street be Hassam paved from the bridge to Tenth street; leave to withdraw voted.

An invitation was received from the Barrett Mfg. Co. to view the Tarvia streets in Boston and the committee voted to make the trip on April 6.

Alderman Bryant called attention to the condition of the sidewalks in Fenwick street and the superintendent was ordered to repair them out of his appropriation.

It was voted to view Elm and Burne streets which Alderman Connor wants paved, after which the meeting adjourned.

WELL, WELL!

We were awakened to the fact that the Dead Easy season approaches, by the numerous demands for this wonderful preparation. Dead Easy kills bugs of all kinds instantly; their eggs also. Not poisonous to human life, does not stain or injure any fabric or color, has a pleasant odor and is guaranteed in pint bottles 25c, at drug stores or the makers, Howard, the Druggist, 197 Central street.

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AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Team I Won the Gymnastic Contest

The gymnastic team contest which has been held once a week during the past two months at the Y. M. C. A. has come to a close and Team I, captained by Theodore Pearson won first place with 1724 points scored in eight meets. Team No. 4 captained by Edward Dooley was second with 1431 points. Capt. Pearson of the winning team made the greatest number of points during the contest, having scored 1030. The prizes were five silver watch fobs to the five highest men on the winning team and three watch fobs to the three highest men not on the winning team.

The teams and the records are as follows:

Team No. 1		
	Meets	Points
Captain Pearson	8	1030
Murphy	6	710
Anderson	8	690
Bakewell	8	646
Poneras	7	541
Karos	6	516
Total		4724

Team No. 4		
	Meets	Points
Captain Dooley	8	956
Maxfield	7	837
Curley	5	651
Riley	7	555
Knowles	7	534
Florence	2	221
Provencher	2	152
Total		4331

Team No. 3		
	Meets	Points
Captain Croft	1	116
Collins	1	115
Clark	1	113
Jenson	1	112
Ramsden	3	113
Spillane	4	374
Grant	2	222
Barrows	3	314
Total		2536

Team No. 2		
	Meets	Points
Captain Wood	1	102
Nicholas	4	334
Walker	3	224
Wallace	1	115
Parr	1	58
Tookears	4	463
Rooney	1	105
Total		1554

Winning team No. 1: Pearson, Murzey, Andromides, Bakewell, Poneras. Individual winners, not on winning team, Dooley, Rico, Maxfield.

FOUR RECRUITS

TO BE RETAINED BY THE CHICAGO NATIONALS

CHICAGO, March 28.—That four of the eight recruits now fighting for regular berths on the Chicago National league team will be retained and the squad of 30 players be cut down to 25 before April 1, is the announcement of President Murphy, who has just returned from the south. Pitchers Toney and "Pepper" Griffin, First Baseman Victor Salter and Third Baseman Jimmy Doyle are the four who have survived the test.

AIDEN TUFTS COLLEGE

NEW YORK, March 28.—James Dudley Perkins, for 50 years a heavy shipper of coal in New York and New England and for many years a resident of Boston, died at his home in New Rochelle yesterday. Mr. Perkins had been a generous financial supporter of Tufts college and the Franklin Home for Working girls in Boston.

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PANIC ON BOARD TOWN MEETING

Big Liner Cedric Sideswiped the Chelmsford Voted to Spend \$80,000 This Year Steamer Marowijne

NEW YORK, March 28.—Momentary panic seized the passengers of the steamer Marowijne, just into port from Trinidad, when the big liner Cedric coming into quarantine today, was thrust out of her course by contrary tides, causing her to sideswipe the Marowijne. The chief officer of the Marowijne jumped to the windlass and slackened the anchor chain, thereby preventing further collision. A couple of plates forward on the Trinidad steamer were dented.

After the quarantine examination the Cedric got under way and attempted to pass to windward of the Marowijne, and this time the high wind forced the big liner to leeward, jamming the Marowijne a second time. The Cedric stopped after clearing the Marowijne and sent a boat alongside to ascertain if any damage had been done.

DEATHS

MCGLOONE—Michael McGloone, a life long resident of North Billerica, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Reidy, 45 Banks street, Cambridge, after a week's illness of pneumonia. Deceased is survived by a brother, Hugh McGloone of this city and two sisters, Mrs. Grace Reidy of this city and Mrs. John Reidy of Cambridge. Funeral announcement later.

LAKE—John Lake of 17 Cushing street died yesterday, aged 31. Besides his wife, Mrs. Minnie Lake, he leaves two sons, John and George, and a daughter, Annie; also a brother, Joseph.

GATILIA—Hamilka Gatlila, aged 2 months, died Monday morning at the home of her parents, Stanislaw and Maria Gatlila. The funeral took place at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Services were held at the Holy Trinity church, Rev. Fr. Ogonowski officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers, M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

BOYLE—John J. Boyle, a well known resident of the Immaculate Conception parish, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Patrick Regan, 252 Fayette street, aged 37 years. He leaves two children, Ruth and Leonard, his parents, three brothers and one sister in Ireland. Deceased was a member of the Eagles, the Bartenders' union and the Emmets.

MASSOUT—The double funeral of Abdessasseh and Nessimah Massout, the Syrian children, twins, who died yesterday morning, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of their parents, George and Faridley, 52 Adams street, and burial was in the Edson street.

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THE "BLACK HAND"

If It's in the Sun You'll Hear From It

U. S. Secret Service Officers to Make Arrests

Officers of the Organization to be Brought to Justice — Threat Was Made on the Life of Judge K. M. Landis

CHICAGO, March 28.—United States secret service officers are about to employ a "black hand" bomb which is expected to bring to justice officers of that body that in a little more than a year has claimed more than 40 lives and has caused a reign of terror in the Italian district.

The threat on the life of Judge K. M. Landis of the United States district court, it was learned yesterday, was but one feature of a program of threats and blackmail that has been carried into the midst of the government's department of justice in Chicago. Threats resulted in the recalling of members of the U. S. Alonzo jury,

which disagreed after hearing evidence in a "black hand" case a week ago and the discovery that members of the jury had been terrorized and that their inability to reach a verdict probably was a direct result of these threats. The recent threats of Judge Landis, on jurors, and yesterday on the life of a member of Assistant Chief of Police Schuetze's staff are expected to hasten the scheduled arrests.

It is known that numerous Italian secret service men imported from New York in order to prevent them being marked by the organization which is being investigated, are at work seeking evidence to be used in the scheduled move of the government.

HOUSE STANDS FIRM

Bill to Reclassify Licenses Was Beaten 104 to 127

BOSTON, March 28.—Having refused last Thursday to repeal the bar-and-bottle act of last year, by a vote of 103 to 133, the house yesterday afternoon before crowded galleries, declined to substitute the so-called reclassification bill, against which the committee on the liquor law had reported. On this bill to reclassify the liquor licenses the vote stood 104 to 127.

In other words, the advocates of legislation to ameliorate the situation, which they claim the operation of the bar-and-bottle act is going to bring about increased their vote by one, and the opposition sustained a net loss of six votes.

Representative Royle of New Bedford gave notice that this afternoon he would move reconsideration of the bill to substitute.

The reclassification bill provides, in substance, that the holder of a first-class license may sell liquor to be drunk on the premises and also in quantities up to five gallons. It was explained to the house that the original advocates of this legislation would offer an amendment if the bill was substituted to provide for the virtual separation of the bar-and-bottle business; in other words, an amendment which would prohibit the shantermen from selling bottle goods and would also provide a substantial partition between the places where the first and the four-class licenses would operate.

Representative Breath of Chelsea announced his intended amendment. The opposition, however, was against any amendment. It contended that the whole object of the other side was the practical repeat of the bar-and-bottle act.

Some Shift Position

Substitution was favored by Repre-

sentatives Breath of Chelsea, Reidy, Newton and Callahan of Boston. It was opposed by Representatives Bothell of Newton, Hawley of Malden, Conway of Boston and Ahern of Framingham. The discussion was brief and not especially noteworthy.

When the bar and bottle bill was up last week the following members were not recorded: Representatives Jencks of Douglas and Brophy of Boston, who voted yesterday for substitution of the reclassification bill; and Parker of Woburn; Pennington of Cambridge and John Carr of Boston, who yesterday voted against substitution.

These members did not vote yesterday on substitution: Bagley of Boston, Cronin of Boston, Hennessey of Dalton, Lombard of Springfield, Morrill of Haverhill—all of whom favored repeal last Thursday, and Representatives Avery of Charlestown, Hart of Boston and Patten of Falmouth, who voted against repeat last week. Of course, Speaker Walker was not called upon to vote either yesterday or last week.

Of the members who voted against repeat last week the following favored substitution yesterday: Elwell of Rockport, Fogg of Newburyport; Hardiman of Whitman, O'Connell of Peabody, O'Leary of Sharon and Miller of Gloucester.

Representatives Bellamy of Taunton and Flower of Greenfield, who voted for repeat last week, voted yesterday against substitution.

During the discussion yesterday Representative Putnam of Westfield offered an amendment for local referendum. Neither side cared about his amendment, and it was turned down on a voice vote.

THE C. E. UNION

HELD MEETING AND SUPPER AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

A very large attendance was present at the monthly business meeting of the Lowell C. E. Union, which was held last night at the First Baptist church. A supper was provided by the members of the First Baptist society and the committee reports were heard with pleasure.

The supper which consisted of an excellent menu was served at 7:15 o'clock, and a feature of the repast was the way the tables had been set. They

were arranged in a manner to form the letters C. E. and the effect was readily noticeable. The vestry was also prettily decorated with a color effect of red and gold, red, white and blue flags.

The words of greeting were extended by the pastor, Rev. Seldon W. Cummings, and Frank Spooner, president of the union responded.

Reports of committees showed much progress. The lookout committee reported one new society and a committee on the new building fund reported \$30,000 towards the new building in Boston. Mrs. Edith Sanborn gave a most interesting address on the work of the World's Missionary exposition in Boston. Miss Buttrick's address was attentively listened to and she told many wonderful things in regard to mission ary work. Rev. A. P. Wedge was the speaker of the evening, and he spoke on the subject, "A Vision," and talked especially along the lines of personal work.

A very pleasing report was listened to concerning the work of the union in city hospital work. The union takes much interest in this work, and the report was very interesting as showing the progress of the union along this line. There were several songs by Mr. Thomas Parkinson. A committee of young men and women from the First Baptist society had charge of the supper, and Miss Edith Sanborn was chairman.

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GOLD MEDAL
WON BY NICHOLLS WHO HAD A FAST CARD

PINEHURST, N. C., March 28.—A remarkably fast card of 141 won the championship gold medal for Gilbert Nicholls, a professional in yesterday's 36 hole round to the open event in the annual United North and South golf championship tournament. Donald Ross, professional, was second in 148, and his brother Alexander, third in 151. Walter J. Travis, former British and American champion, William C. Powles, Jr., national amateur champion and Charles Evans, Jr., former champion, were first, second and third among the amateurs with scores of 165, 159 and 162 respectively.

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LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court. To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles H. Rogers, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased intestate: A will has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Alice M. Rogers of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety of her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a probate hearing held at the Probate Court, County of Middlesex, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1911, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give a bond before the said date for three successive weeks in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-seventh day of March, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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PETITION FOR PARK

West Centralville People Expect to Have 1500 Names

All West Centralville seems to be in favor of a public park in that section of the city according to the members of the committee which had charge of looking up the possibilities of a park in that district.

A petition now in circulation in that territory is headed with the signature of Rev. J. N. Jacques, pastor of St. Louis church, and signed by all, the business men as well as many of the citizens of that locality. In all it is claimed over 500 signatures have been affixed to the petition and before the

committee gets through its work, it is expected that the paper will carry about 1500 names.

As soon as the petition is filed, it will be presented to the members of the common council, and the latter will be asked to vote an appropriation and purchase a strip of land in that district and convert it into a park.

Two or three tracts of land are mentioned for that purpose, but many of the West Centralville residents seem to favor that particular tract extending between the Aiken street bridge and Beaver brook.

DUMB ANIMALS FROM OLD WORLD

To Have a Hospital in Boston

Greek Musician Visiting in Lowell

BOSTON, March 28.—As a memorial to the late George T. Angell, and to perpetuate the humanitarian work to which he devoted his life, the Massachusetts society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, voted at its annual meeting today, to approve of the plan of Dr. Francis Bowler, president of the society, to erect in Boston a hospital for dumb animals. The hospital, which is to be known as the Angell Memorial Animal hospital, will be equipped with all the latest devices for the treatment of animals in distress and will be the first institution of the kind on so large a scale in the United States.

The society's offices are to be located in a portion of the hospital building. Mr. Angell was for many years the head of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and The Humane Education society, and was the editor of Our Dumb Animals.

VANDERBILT'S HORSE WON

PARIS, March 28.—The Prix Roche, run at Malsons Laffite today, was won by W. K. Vanderbilt's Prospect. In the Prix De Pone, Nash Turner's Alby ran second.

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Joe Thomas Will Have Busy Month

Joe Thomas the well-known boxer, has a busy few weeks before him. On April 5 he will box Bill McFinnon in Manchester and on April 12, he will take on Tommy Sullivan in Lawrence. On April 27 he meets Jack Dillon in Terre Haute, Ind. Joe is training at his home in upper Gorham street and is in fine condition.

Young Boyle Matched

Young Boyle of this city and Young Burke of Lynn are matched to box at Woburn on Monday evening next.

ST. JOHN'S DAY

To be Observed by Council Jacques

The members of Council J. N. Jacques, U. S. J. Bta d'A., are planning to celebrate St. John's day, June 24. At the last meeting of the council it was decided to hold an open air celebration. The affair will probably be held at the residence of Mr. Pierre A. Brousseau in Essex street.

Messrs. Adolphe Bouchard, Elphege Beaudette and Pierre A. Brousseau have been named a committee to arrange plans for the celebration of St. John's day. Many notable speakers from out-of-town will be invited to attend, among them being Felix Gagnon of Southbridge, president-general of the society, L. Bisson of Manchester, N. H., third vice-president-general, and Achille Proulx of Lawrence.

As there will be no formal observance of the day, it is expected that this fête champêtre will be welcomed by the members of the society and the French speaking people in general.

WON BY MERZ

The First Race at Pablo Beach

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., March 28.—With a clear sky and good track, the automobile speed carnival opened this morning, having been postponed from yesterday on account of unfavorable weather conditions. Yesterday's program, it was announced, would be run off.

The 1st event, 20 miles, open cars, 600 inches or less, 2300 pounds minimum weight, resulted as follows: Merz (National) first, time 14.65; Distbrow (Pope-Hartford) second, 15.16; Wilcox (National) third, no time.

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WASHINGTON, March 28.—A complaint demanding reparation aggregating more than \$51,000 from five railroads was filed today with the interstate commerce commission by the New England Coal and Coke Co., of Boston. The defendant roads are the Norfolk & Western, the Baltimore & Ohio, the Chesapeake & Ohio, the Virginia railroad and the Western Maryland. It is alleged, that the railroads include in their through rates on coal shipped from Virginia and West Virginia points to Boston a charge of 3½ cents a ton for "trimming" or "leveling" the coal after it is discharged through the chutes in the coal holds of the vessels which carry it from tidewater to Boston. The complainant company employs vessels, it asserts, that have octagonal coal holes in which the coal is declared, trims or levels itself. It is averred therefore that the charge for trimming is excessively unjust. The commission is required to order the discontinuance of the charge and to award the complainant reparation as indicated.

LICENSE FEES

Have Been Reduced by
Lawrence Board

LAWRENCE, March 28.—The license commissioners held a meeting last night and voted to make a reduction of \$700 in the price of first class licenses, bringing the license fee down from \$2500 to \$1800.

The change was made on account of the bar and bottle bill. Under this act dealers who sell liquor to be drunk on the premises cannot sell bottled goods. In other words the retailers enjoyed the privilege of selling bottled goods. Under the new law they will be deprived of considerable revenue and this fact undoubtedly had some influence in causing the commissioners to make the change.

The wholesalers or holders of fourth class licenses will be compelled to pay a license fee of \$2500, the same as in other years. Innholders will be as-

sessed \$2500; brewers, \$2500; clubs, \$500; druggists, \$1; dealers in paints and oils, \$1.

Chairman McCarthy said last night that he did not know when the call for applications would be issued.

KILLED HIMSELF

LAWRENCE, MAN COMMITTED SUICIDE BY SHOOTING

LAWRENCE, March 28.—Louis B. Talbot committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself in the head at 73 Hampshire street, where he conducted a jewelry store, with living apartments in the rear. He had been acting strangely of late, it is said.

He was formerly a prominent socialist, and at one time was the party candidate for senator in the 5th Essex district. He leaves a wife.

HOLY HOUR SERVICE

The weekly Lenten service of the Holy hour will be held in St. Michael's church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column

THE B. & N. ROAD

Ordered to Pay Fines
of \$100

LAWRENCE, March 28.—A hearing on the complaint that the Boston & Northern street railway company refused to allow pupils residing in North Andover and attending the Lawrence Industrial school, to be conveyed to and from school at half past 5, was held Monday afternoon before Judge N. P. Frye in North Andover.

The hearing was on the complaint of Chief of Police Joseph L. Delight. The pupils involved are F. R. Bishop, Jr., Hubert Whiting, Leo Lamb and Raymond Swan, Principal. Doctor Doty of the industrial school was a witness and after hearing his testimony Judge Frye found the railroad company guilty and imposed a fine of \$25 in each case.

The company appealed and the case will be taken to superior court.

The Boston & Northern was represented by Attorney C. J. Lamson of the firm of Warren Garfield, Lamson and Whitelaw of Boston.

Like action was taken several weeks ago by Judge Frye in five similar cases,

PREFECT MORAIN

WANTS TO KNOW ABOUT DUTIES ON CHINAWARE

PARIS, March 28.—Foreign Minister Cruppi today received M. Morain, prefect of Haute Vienne, who wished to be informed regarding the proposed action of the American treasury department in abrogating on May 1st its arrangement with the Limoges chamber of commerce.

This agreement provided the basis for custom duties on imports of chinaware into the United States from Limoges.

Recently notice was given that after May 1st these imports would be assessed by appraisers in the same manner as other imports are.

Mr. Cruppi stated that Ambassador Jusserand had cabled assurances that most of the difficulties had been removed and he expected that satisfactory solution of the matter would be found, with the result that the Limoges products would be allowed to continue to enter the American market without hindrance.

WHITE GIRL

REFUSED TO POSE FOR A NEGRO STUDENT

CHICAGO, March 28.—The race question came up in the art institution yesterday and for a time threatened to disrupt a class when a white girl who had been recently employed as a model refused to pose while a negro student remained in the room.

After a consultation with his fellow students the negro artist to whom exception had been taken relieved the situation temporarily by walking from the classroom.

PASSENGERS SAFE

STEAMER AROUND OFF POINT MARDI GRAS

CAPE HAILETEN, Haiti, March 28.—The German steamer Alzamanna of the Atala line, which sailed from New York last Thursday for Haitian ports, is around off Point Mardi Gras and in a dangerous position. Her ten passengers are safe.

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TOMORROW (WEDNESDAY) TWELVE MONTHS AGO, WE THREW OUR DOORS OPEN TO THE PURCHASING PUBLIC OF LOWELL, AND THE PATRONAGE WE HAVE RECEIVED SINCE IS BEYOND OUR HIGHEST EXPECTATIONS. TO SHOW OUR APPRECIATION WE HAVE SOMETHING IN STORE FOR EVERY PURCHASER ON TOMORROW. DO NOT MISS IT.

Double "S. & H." Stamps FREE With Every Purchase Wednesday

Best Full Cream

Cheese 10c
lb.

Best Fresh Made Pure Vermont Creamery

Butter 25c
lb.

This is without doubt worth double the money. Try a sample before buying.

Our sales prove beyond doubt, we have the best Butter in Lowell.

Pillsbury's Best XXXX Flour \$6.45 Bbl.
Do Not Miss This Great Flour Sale

Cut Out This Free Stamp Coupon
BONUS TO EVERY PURCHASER

In addition to all regular and extra stamps given with purchases

10 "S. & H." STAMPS FREE

To all who buy fifty cents' worth (50) or over and who cut out and present this coupon on Wednesday, March 29th, at any of our two stores

100 "S. & H." Stamps Free with 1 lb. Best Tea. 100 "S. & H." Stamps Free with 1 lb. Best Baking Powder.

35 "S. & H." Stamps with 1 lb. Best Pure Coffee

10 "S & H." STAMP SPECIALS

12c Pkg. Pure Borax.	10c	12c Pkg. Hecker's Buckwheat
12c Pkg. Plymouth Rock Icing.	10c	12c Bottle Pure Vinegar
10c Pkg. Bird Seed.	8c	12c Bottle Hartshorn Ammonia
10c Can Potash or Lye.	8c	15c Bottle Best Catsup
		12c Pkg. Macaroni or Spaghetti

10c
10c
10c
10c
12c
10c

Best Eastern Green Mountain Potatoes

12½c pk.

FREE DEMONSTRATION OF RUNKEL'S COCOA AND CHOCOLATE ALL DAY. SAMPLES FREE

MAIL AND TELEPHONE ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED

THE INSURRECTOS

Are Gathering in Force at
San Andres

Some Think This May Mean
Preparations for Peace—Col.
Soto Moved on San Andres
Last Night

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, March 28.—News that insurrectos were congregating in some force at San Andres, 45 miles west of Chihuahua, caused some excitement today. Whether the gathering of rebels meant preparations for peace negotiations or a projected attack on Chihuahua could not be learned. Colonel Soto, with 150 men, moved on San Andres last night.

One hundred federales from the south embarked at Escalon last night to protect the road to Sierra Mojada.

has won the sobriquet of "William the Silent" because of his disinclination to give out statements to the press.

Carter on the field at Fort Sam Houston viewing a review of the infantry.

THE MADEROS

TO ATTEND MEETING OF JUNTA
AT SAN ANTONIO

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 28.—Francisco Madero, Sr., and Gustave Madero, father and brother of the Mexican insurrecto leader, Francisco I. Madero, Jr., arrived here today and went to the house of Alfonso Madero, where the local junta meets. The Maderos say that the reunion was a purely personal affair but the impression prevails that matters of moment are to be considered in connection with peace proposals.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

NOT AFTER THE BOSTON & ALBANY LINE

NEW HAVEN, March 28.—Reports that the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co. is trying to secure control, by purchase, of the Boston & Albany line or that the conference which President Mellon of the New Haven road attended in New York yesterday had to do with that matter, were given official denial at the offices of the New York, New Haven & Hartford here today.

Wed., March 29, 1911, Red Letter Day

FREE

5

"S. & H."

Green

Stamps

WHETHER

YOU

PURCHASE

OR NOT

20 Stamps Free

With a bag of

Natural Rice

10c

30 Stamps

FREE

With a Lb.

New Crop Tea

35c

Free Delivery

Tel. 356-1

FREE

5

"S. & H."

Green

Stamps

20 Stamps Free

With a pound

Delicious Coffee

28c

100 Stamps

FREE

With a Can

Pure Baking

Powder 50c



STYLISH
EASILY BUTTONED
AMPLE TIE SPACE
Purchase Them From
Max. Carp & Co.
AND
A. G. Pollard Co.
The Leading Stores in Lowell

GENERAL CARTER
REFUSED TO HAVE ANYTHING
TO SAY

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., March 28.—General William H. Carter, who is in command of the mobilized troops here,

DOUBLE
STAMPS
With All
Purchases

TRADE
MARK

SHELDON ARRESTED

Said to Have Been Involved in \$2,000,000 Embezzlement

PITTSBURG, March 28.—Charles Sheldon, alias Charles D. Washburn of Montreal, Canada, who is wanted in that city on charges of embezzlement, said to involve nearly \$2,000,000, was arrested in the local financial district late yesterday.

Sheldon, who is also known as W. Ross, admitted that he was a fugitive from Canada. When the detective approached Sheldon, he made a sensational attempt to escape, and was captured only after an exciting chase. When brought to the central police station, he called up a local stock broker and gave orders to close out their deals on the local stock exchange.

SHELDON DISAPPEARED OCT. 11

MONTREAL, March 28.—Charles D. Sheldon disappeared on October 11, leaving behind him, it is alleged, creditors to the amount of nearly \$2,000,000.

and assets of about \$18,000. The real liabilities of Sheldon, however, were only about \$800,000, the balance of \$1,200,000 representing dividends declared upon investments which the owners had left with him to accumulate.

Sheldon began business in a very modest way a year previous to his disappearance but when after a few months he continued, it is said, paying dividends at the rate of 20 per cent. to those who invested money with him, his fame spread and he soon had customers all over the Dominion. By June his operations had become so extensive that the local stock brokers began to feel the lack of customers, and a newspaper campaign was begun against him. This led to a falling off in the number of new customers and finally, after a run on his offices, he disappeared.

GREAT BUSINESS

For Lowell Automobile Dealers

MANY MACHINES SOLD THIS SPRING

Scores of Prospective Purchasers in Sight—The Big Touring Cars Are Attracting Attention—Big Increase in Commercial Wagons and Trucks Looked For.

The indications at the present time for a successful season in the sale of automobiles in this city are very bright if what the local automobile dealers say can be taken as a criterion. Of course there are some pessimists who claim that it is going to be a dull year but the majority of the local men think otherwise and many of them have reason to believe that the sales this year will be far in excess of those in previous years.

There is an increased demand for large cars, although many cling to the idea that it is preferable to have the runabout, claiming that the first cost is less and the upkeep smaller, but the principal matter to take into consideration is the care of the car, whether large or small, and many owners of big seven passenger cars in Lowell today find that the cost of upkeep has been small, while on the other hand a number of owners of small cars have found that it is very expensive to operate an automobile, but the latter are those who do not understand how to properly operate or care for the machine.

There are cars owned by Lowell men which have gone 10,000 miles and over during the last year without a single adjustment having been made and in these cases the cost of upkeep has been small. This year, however, the commercial wagons and big trucks will attract more attention than heretofore and in other years there will be bigger proportionate increase in the sale of commercial wagons than there will be in pleasure cars.

A few years ago the small commercial wagons were a rarity and until recently the sight of a heavy truck attracted more than passing attention even by the person who did not know the first thing about automobiles. In Lowell today there are about fifty commercial wagons and the continual increase in the sales of these vehicles is evidence that the wagons are doing better, quicker and more work than the motor drawn wagons and at a reduced expense.

One thing noticeable in Lowell, however, is the absence of many big trucks which carry from one up to half to five tons. It is doubtful if there are more than three of these big trucks in Lowell, but it is expected that before the end of this season there will be scores of them running through the streets.

While there are a great many more pleasure cars in Lowell than in Lawrence, the down river city can boast of having almost ten times as many heavy trucks as are in this city.

It was noticed at the automobile show in Boston this year that the commercial vehicles attracted practically as many people as did the pleasure cars.

The Lowell Automobile Corporation in Appleton street is the scene of great activity these days and Manager Fred Emerson and Salesman Thomas B. Hinswick are of the opinion that there is a bright outlook for a very successful season. A number of sales have been made up to date, there are many prospective purchasers who have called and examined the different models of Oldsmobiles and Buicks and have signified their intention of purchasing within the next 30 days and still again there are other people who do not purchase machines until just a short time before the formal opening of the automobile season.

Owing to the large amount of repair work on hand and inasmuch as some people wish to use their cars right away it was necessary to add to the corps of mechanics in order to get the work out as soon as possible. The wise automobile owners who do not intend to purchase new cars this season sent their cars to the garage last fall or early in the winter and the machines after getting good overhauling are now ready for use.

The popularity of the Buick cars does not seem to have shown any signs of decreasing this year and Mr. Hinswick states that if the car did not show up during the past few seasons there would not be the demand for it that there is this season. Last week five cars were purchased and so far this week there have been two cars sold.

Dr. Ralph Parker has bought a Model 10 Buick as has George Fairbank and Max Katz has ordered a Model 10.

Mr. B. J. Mahoney, district plant chief of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co. has purchased a very attractive Model 26 Buick. The car is finished in battleship gray and has beautiful lines, having a large oil and gasoline tank and trunk on the rear.

George B. Dana, who conducts the garage and automobile salerooms at the corner of East Merrimack and Stackpole streets, has a very attractive

display of Stevens-Duryea, Chalmers and Hudson cars. He reports a good business this year having sold many in hand. Mr. Dana has just returned after a two days' business trip to the Stevens-Duryea factory at Chicopee Falls, Mass.

Paul B. Chandler of Third street, Centralville, has been driving a racing looking Reading 49 through the streets for the past week or more. The car is new to these parts but if the mechanism and general makeup of the machine is in keeping with its attractive ness undoubtedly there will be more of them seen in Lowell this season.

Arthur G. Beharrell, local agent for the Volee, with headquarters in Middle street, is demonstrating the 1911 models of that make. All who have ridden in the Volee claim it to be a slick running machine with many advantages over other cars. Mr. Beharrell has orders for four cars and states that if business keeps improving in the same manner which it has since the Boston show he will not have any complaint to make.

William S. Grady, agent for the Regal, with salerooms at the corner of Bridge and Paige streets, reports the sale of six Regals of different types and speaks in a very confident manner of the prospects of the future.

Mr. Grady is anticipating taking the agency for the Reliance trucks in this vicinity.

Those who are of the opinion that the steam machines are not as popular now as they have been in years past should have a talk with Tom Williston, agent for the Stanley, and if he cannot convince them that the steamer is the machine, no one else in this vicinity.

The Moody Bridge garage at the corner of Moody and Pawtucket streets, is a place of bustle and bustle, and many new cars have been shipped from the factories to that place during the past week. Sales of Knox and Oakland cars have been numerous this season.

Prof. Edmond H. Mercer, who conducts an auto livery, with headquarters at the City Hall garage, is a very busy man these days. He has been noted for the excellent care he uses and the efficient service. While business has been good with him all winter he will have his hands full in the future, and those who desire to use his service had better telephone their orders ahead of time.

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FLYING DUTCHMAN

JAGERSBURGER ENTERED IN INTERNATIONAL RACE

Joseph Jagersburger, "The Flying Dutchman," is the third case, racing team driver to enter in the 500-mile international sweepstakes race for a purse of \$25,000 over the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, Memorial day, May 30, and the ninth entrant for that event. Jagersburger has been a strong contender in many of the big speed events of the country and has shown himself a fearless driver behind the wheel. He is a team mate of Louis Larsonour and Lewis Strang, the latter being captain and manager of the team.

Jagersburger is a native of Vienna, Austria. He came to America in 1902 when he left C. L. Charley, with whom he had been demonstrating the Mercedes car in Paris for two years preceding. Leaving Paris he came to America with Mr. Harry Harkness, the New York multi-millionaire sportsman.

During the year 1903 Jagersburger handled the racing machines of Mr. Harkness. His most notable performance was at Elmwood Park on the 4th of July, 1903, when he made the American 100-mile track record. This performance was so good that it withstood the attacks of all other record-breaking drivers for a period of three years. George Robertson, the famous American driver and afterwards winner of the Vanderbilt cup race, rode with Jagersburger in this race as his mechanician. This was a thrilling race on roads and bridges gave a hearing set him free.

AUTO OWNERS

HAVE FILED PETITION FOR AN EASIER LAW

BOSTON, March 28.—The committee

Robertson's baptism in the auto racing game.

Jagersburger coached and rode with Harry Harkness in all the runs he made and was with Mr. Harkness when he established his famous record up Mt. Washington in the Climb-to-the-Clouds from the base of the mount to the summit. Jagersburger also rode with Mr. Harkness when he established the New York to Boston record of 251 miles in 6 hours and 34 minutes. This record stands today and is one of the most remarkable long distance road runs ever accomplished.

Driving the Mercedes cars, Jagersburger took part in most of the track meets at the Empire City track, New York, and Readville track, Boston, Mass.

The last race in which Jagersburger participated was the Fairmount Park race in Philadelphia last fall. The car which he handled was the property of and was to have been driven by Mr. Edward Schroeder, the millionaire owner of "Dixie No. 2," America's most famous racing boat. Mr. Schroeder had an accident three days before the race when he ran into a telegraph pole, and then decided not to drive but agreed to let Jagersburger take the car provided he could repair it in time. By working three days and three nights, Jagersburger was able to put it in shape in time to start the race but without getting any chance for practice. Starting with these handicaps he made a most remarkable run, finishing third in a race in which thirty-two cars started.

Besides being a fearless driver, Jagersburger has a reputation as one of the most consistent in the world. He spent four years in the Mercedes factory at Cannstatt, Germany, and his tuition under the heads of that famous factory was a training which insures Jagersburger as being an expert.

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The bill recently passed by the legislature gives the city of Lowell and the town of Tyngsboro permission to vote relative to the holding of speed contests. Of course if the races are to be held there will be more or less kicking by disgruntled persons, some of whom reside on the course and others who always object to anything that is a benefit to a community and the public at large.

It is understood that there is a quiet movement now on hand to conduct the races and that in a short time an announcement will be made, but those who have been conducting the contests heretofore on the Merrimack Valley course are not giving out any information.

If we are to have races let it be for only two days, one day for light cars and the other for the big cars. Furthermore, it would be advisable not to make such elaborate preparations as for the last race.

Inflation of Tires

If every motorist would always be careful to keep his tires inflated to the proper riding pressure at least 40 per cent. of tire trouble would be eliminated. The majority of tires that go wrong do so because they have been inflated without sufficient inflation. The weakest part of a pneumatic tire is the side walls, for here most of the bending action takes place. The more the side walls are bent the sooner they will break down and separate. If the tire is run partially inflated this kneading action is violent and the tire is bent sharply every time it hits an obstruction. If a tire is kept properly inflated the converse is true. The average motorist inflates his tires until they look fairly round under a load, and then lets them go at that. But a tire may be perfectly round under load and yet have only forty-five pounds of air in it when it should have ninety. No amount of kicking or feeling or looking at the outside of the tire will tell what the air pressure is inside. The use of a reliable air pressure register is the only way to accurately determine whether or not your tires are sufficiently inflated.

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BOTH UP ALL NIGHT.

Wife (weeping)—"I haven't slept a wink all night."

Husband (thickly)—"Well, goodnight (hic), neither have I."

ON JOURNALISM

Lecture Under Christian Science Auspices

An evening devoted to the subject of "Clean Journalism" was conducted by the Christian Science church, last evening, with a large attendance. The meeting was presided over by Albert R. Honig, first reader, and the speakers were F. Arthur Spence and Rev. George F. Kennett.

In opening Mr. Honig stated the objects of the meeting as a part of the scheme of the Christian Science church and societies to hold 100 meetings simultaneously to advocate clean journalism in news, advertising and editorial expression. The same address was to be given at all the meetings. Mr. F. A. Spence read the address which was in part, as follows:

Clean journalism must appreciate the brotherhood of man. It must recognize no difference between the worthy poor and the multi-millionaire. It must command those who succeed and encourage those who fail. It must believe in the country and its workers. It must deal with measures more than with men.

Broadly speaking, yellow journalism comprises the newspapers and periodicals that are without conscience, those publications which pander to the prejudices and passions of the ignorant. When you take up a newspaper you have before you a window through which you should look upon the activities of mankind. What disaster and crime should be considered matter of blatant display, and the good that mankind is doing hidden away, no one seems able to reason out. More than 40 years ago, a distinguished editor was wrangled from its well-established position of editor of the world's best journal of editorial worth. He appealed for the nation's right to interfere in the forest and water-power if interference with the states proved necessary but declared that he was not opposed to the doctrine of the state's right to protect its property as long as it did go.

"Shall we surrender our Alaskan lands?" So if so to whom? To that insignificant aggregation known as the Guggenheim syndicate of Colorado and the Morgan syndicate of New York. Thus, in matters of local importance, and of self-government, we are asked to turn over Alaska's great resources to the capitalists of Colorado and New York.

He wished, he said, to save wealthy men from the ruin they would bring on themselves if they could have their way in monopolizing. "It is because I am against revolution and the doctrine of extremists among socialists, and because I wish to secure this country against the time when the 'have-nots' shall rise against the 'have-all's' that I want to see the doctrine of conservatism prevail in order that the whole people may enjoy their possessions instead of permitting a few men to create a monopoly that would result in a skeptical attitude towards for instructive information."

Although modern editors as a class are of great ability, their energies are hampered by what is termed business policy. Thirty years ago a newspaper's contents were extremely small, compared with the contents of the newspaper of today. This was due to the fact that newspaper facilities were in process of development. But in those days, editors and publishers were glad to have their publications measured by the standard of their editorial championship, and not upon a basis of having carried so many thousand pages of advertising more than their contemporaries.

Clean journalism pre-eminently fills the growing desire for wholesomeness. It tells of upbuilding and progress in all human endeavor. It voices sane optimism and champions the good and right in community and world-wide interests and undertakings. It incites respect for law, order and discipline to constitute authority. In short, it seeks only to build up not to tear down, the social fabric, to promote every agency that makes for human enlightenment and betterment.

But reform in news does not fully meet the need. The character of advertising accepted and the general business policy of the modern newspaper as well must be improved if the ideal in journalism is to be attained. Every thinking merchant who is desirous of extending his business or is making a battle to hold his trade—every newspaper and magazine publisher who discovers a growing distrust among his advertising clientele—every advertising agent, who daily discovers it more difficult to convince the thinking merchant and manufacturer of the value of advertising—is now engaged in a careful, but nevertheless vigorous battle for conservation of the elemental force of publicity.

Rev. Mr. Kennett spoke at some length endorsing the movement for clean journalism and said he believed the papers of Lowell were trying to reach a high standard.

ALLAN LINE

One Class Cabin Service

(Called Second)

A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims, but Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate the liver and bowels, preventing that sluggish condition, invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Headache, Biliousness, Chills, &c.

A. W. Dowd & Co.

Boston to Glasgow via Londonderry.

Ionian, April 6; Hesperian, April 13;

NIGHT EDITION

PRIMARIES BILL

State-Wide Measure Introduced in New York Legislature

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28.—A state-wide direct primaries bill, representing the views of Governor Dix and his advisers, was introduced today by Senator Wagner and Assemblyman Smith, city and borough committees. All conventions are to be abolished except majority leaders. It provides for the direct nomination by the enrolled party voters of all candidates for public offices except the elective state officials and town, village, ward and school district officers. It thus includes members of assembly, senators, congressmen, county and city officers, justices of the supreme court and all other judicial officers.

The bill also provides for the direct election of delegates to state conventions and the members of state, county, and borough committees. All conventions are to be abolished except majority leaders. It provides for the direct nomination by the enrolled party voters of all candidates for public offices except the elective state officials and town, village, ward and school district officers. It thus includes members of assembly, senators, congressmen, county and city officers, justices of the supreme court and all other judicial officers.

BRUTAL ATTACK WANTS ALIMONY

Couple Were Bound and Gagged Woman Asks for \$26,000 a Year

ASBURT PARK, N. J., Mar. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson were sitting by the fire in their Allenhurst cottage on Saturday afternoon when they heard a knock at the door. Mr. Anderson answered it. A thick set man sprang at him and dealt him a blow in the face. The other man rushed into the hallway and threw him down.

Mrs. Anderson heard the noise and hurried into the hallway. The men threatened to shoot if she made an outcry. Then they tied the Andersons hand and foot and gagged them. They ransacked the house and found some silverware and jewelry but no money.

The Childses were married in 1906, when neither of them was 20 years old, and three years later the wife got a separation, with the custody of a baby daughter. She got alimony of \$3,000 a year and went to live with her parents at 155 Stratford road, Flatbush. She says that since then Childs has squandered at least \$1,000,000, and she wants so arranged that he can't squander the \$700,000 which he received last week from his father's estate on his 25th birthday. She recently got an order from Justice Blackmar directing Childs to leave the \$700,000 untouched until he had furnished a bond for \$20,000 to insure the payment of alimony.

The thieves demanded that Mrs. Anderson make her check payable to James Leonard for \$20. She said she had only \$10 in the bank, and she was compelled to sign a check for that amount. The couple were rebound and carried to a bedroom upstairs where they were left, the burglars promising to come back and release them. Mrs. Anderson freed herself after an hour's work and cut the cords that bound her husband. The check for \$10 was cashed at a clothing store.

The thieves failed to return. The Andersons and the police kept the matter a secret until yesterday, hoping to get clues. The Andersons have lived at Allenhurst and Deal for nearly twenty years. Mr. Anderson was formerly a manufacturer in New York.

AN INVESTIGATION

Of State Hospitals is Urged

BOSTON, March 28.—The question of an investigation by a legislative committee of the treatment of patients at state hospitals for the insane was taken up by the joint commission on rules today and half a dozen witnesses submitted evidence of what they considered ill treatment at these hospitals of friends and relatives.

In two cases witnesses testified that in their opinion the death of their relatives was the direct result of ill treatment or neglect. They all urged that an investigation be held.

The New Haven and Hartford railroad has not bought or sought to buy the Boston and Albany railroad and has no control over its operations. It has entered into arrangements with the New York Central (the lessee on the Boston and Albany railroad) looking to an increased traffic by way of the Boston and Albany junctions and will probably, in the near future, perfect arrangements by which it will run its own trains with its own power over portions of the Boston and Albany lines, notably between South Framingham and Boston, between Ashland and South Framingham, between Ludlow and Springfield in connection with the projected Hampden railroad extension of the Central Massachusetts, and between Pittsfield and North Adams. These arrangements are so obviously in the public interest it is unnecessary to enlarge upon the beneficial results that are bound to follow.

Through its holdings and leases, the New Haven road controls the Boston & Maine, the Maine Central, Washington County, Somerset, Montpelier, Wells River, Barre railroad and other lines.

The New Haven system through its connections recently acquired a controlling interest in the Rutland road, for several years operated solely by the New York Central line.

With the exception of the Boston & Albany road, the only through traffic competitor of the New Haven system in New England is the Grand Trunk, which by its leased lines extends to Portland and New London, and is contemplating the construction of a line from Palmer, Mass., to Providence, with possibly another extension to Boston.

ATLANTIC FLEET

TO BEGIN TARGET PRACTICE ON APRIL 1

NEW YORK, March 28.—Target practice for the Atlantic fleet will begin off the coasts of the Chesapeake on Saturday, April 1, and Rear Admiral Schroeder, in a communication made public here today, requests the cooperation of all shipmasters in avoiding delays and inconvenience. There will be no danger he says to passing ships but carelessness might result in much annoyance to the fleet and even a reduction of scores in a keen competition.

The stations for the four divisions of the fleet will be on the meridian 75 degrees, 35 minutes in latitude, 36 degrees, 30 minutes, to 37 degrees, 15 minutes and the targets will be towed from points along the line of the meridian in a direction generally to the left of windward. During the day practice a battleship will be seen towing a target and the firing ship will always be on the port hand of the target at ranges varying from three to six miles.

INGRATITUDE

Boy—An' ter t'ink dat it was on'y yesterday dat I give yer a big piece o' meat!

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal Copper	64 1/2	63 7/8	63
Am Car & Pn	52 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Am Cot Oil	60 1/2	59 1/2	59 1/2
Am Smett & R	76 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Am Sunett & R	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Am Sugar Refn	119 1/2	119	119
Aitchison	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Aitch pr	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Balt & Ohio	104 1/2	104	104 1/2
Br Rap Tran	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Canadian Pn	224	224	224
Cast I Pipe	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cent Leather	29 1/2	28	28
Cent Leather pr	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Ches & Ohio	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Consol Gas	146 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Den & Rio G	32	32	32
Den & R G pf	71 1/2	71	71 1/2
Dls Secur Co	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Erie	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Erie 1st pf	48 1/2	48	48
Erie 2d pf	38	38	38
Gan Elec	148 1/2	148 1/2	148 1/2
Gl North pf	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Gl No Ore etf	63 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Illinois Can	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2
Int Met Com	19	18 1/2	18 1/2
Int Met pf	55 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Int Paper pf	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Iowa Central	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Iowa Cen pf	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Kan City So	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Kan & Texas	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Louis & Nash	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Mexican Cent	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Missouri Pa	52	52	52
Nat Lead	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
N Y Central	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Nor & West	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
North Pacific	126	124 1/2	124 1/2
Ont & West	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Pennsylvania	126 1/2	126	126
People's Gas	105	105 1/2	105 1/2
Pullman C	160	158 1/2	160
Reading	158	157 1/2	157 1/2
Rep Iron & S	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Rep I & S pf	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Rock Is	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Rock Is pf	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
St L & S'n pf	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
St Paul	122 1/2	122	122 1/2
So Pacific	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Southern Ry pf	65	65	65
Tenn Copper	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Texas Pac	29 1/2	29	29
Third Ave	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Union Pacific	175 1/2	177 1/2	175 1/2
Union Pac pf	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
U S Rub	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
U S Steel	79 1/2	79	79 1/2
U S Steel pf	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
U S Steel Is	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Utah Copper	15 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Wab R R pf	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Westinghouse	67	66 1/2	66 1/2
Western Un	73 1/2	73	73 1/2

BOSTON MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amal New	124 1/2	124	124
Bay State Gas	25	23	23
Boston Elv	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Cactus	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Crown Rubber	3 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Davis-Daly I	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Ely Consol	24	24	24
First National	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
La Rose	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Majestic	300	286	300
McKinley	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Ohio Copper	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Raven	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Ray Central	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
R I Coal	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2

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EXCHANGES & BALANCES

BOSTON, March 28.—Exchanges, \$27,103,296; balances, \$845,287.

BOSTON COPPER MARKET

BOSTON, March 28.—The local copper market broadened at its opening today, the first time in nearly a week.

At noon prices tended downward.

The weakness of American Wanzen was the feature of the general list.

COTTON FUTURES</



BENEDICT MACQUARRIE, AS HORATIO DRAKE IN "THE CHRISTIAN."

THE OPERA HOUSE

"The Christian," the popular religious and moral drama from the pen of Hell Caine, was presented before a large audience at the Lowell Opera House last night. The rendition of this difficult play was superb, and all the performers deserve credit for their fine playing, especially Forrest Stanley in the leading role of Hon. John Storm, and Frances Whitehouse as Glory Quayle. These two are well known on the Lowell stage and their work is being appreciated to the limit. They scored highly last night as did Benedict MacQuarrie as Horatio Drake. The scene of the play is known to most people, as it is a very popular and successful one. It tells the story of a young nobleman in England, with every advantage that the world and a vast wealth can offer, and whose father has planned out a great career for him in state affairs. But the young man, John Storm by name, has decided against the things of the world and wishes to enter the church, which he does. John loves a girl, Glory Quayle, and it is around this girl that the extremely delicate and particularly exciting plot is woven.

Glory went to London to seek a career, and fell into the hands of a few unscrupulous men and women who were seeking to destroy her, body and soul. The methods by which they

covet at her destruction and how they were thwarted by John Storm form the basis of the play, and in no detail does it lack interest. The entire performance as given at the Opera House last night was most satisfactory, and the management left no stone unturned to make it successful. The scenery was particularly beautiful, and excellently portrayed the different places in which action takes place.

The cast is the original one.—Adv.

MADAME X'

Not in many years has dramatic performance won such universal approval from the critics or Boston as that which was extended to Madame X, which will be seen at the Opera House on Wednesday April 5, matinee and night. There was a unanimity of opinion among the fraternity of writers upon dramatic topics who vied with one another in extending to Henry W. Savage's production every praise in their vocabularies. This was a repetition of the experience in New York where Madame X made the most astonishing record of any drama in many years, playing nearly two seasons to crowded houses. The original production and cast are to be seen here. Dorothy Donnelly plays the drug-drenched wretch, who kills her paramour later to be defended in the French Assize Court by her own son whom she has not seen since infancy and whom she does not recognize until it is revealed to her in one of the tense moments of the play. Miss Donnelly has made a wonderful impression as Madame X. She has been accorded the palm as the most convincing emotional actress of the stage. She is assisted by stalwart William, Robert Peter Gibbs, W. H. Denby, Harry C. Bradley, Ralph Morgan, Boyd Nolan, James Echlin and Anna Cronshaw.—Adv.

The performance will be repeated each afternoon and night of this week, with the exception of Friday, when

"The Lottery Man" will be the attraction.

THE LOTTERY MAN'

In spite of the fact that it is contrary to law, a lottery will be conducted in this city next Friday, March 31, at which time the drawing will take place on the stage of the Opera House. The prize will be a young, handsome and marriageable man. In fact the lottery is so conducted that only women are allowed to participate in the "spells."

The prize in question is Cyril Scott, perhaps one of the best known leading men of the American stage. Mr. Scott, of course is the "lottery man" in the play of the same name, which now after its long engagement at the Bijou theatre is being sent to this city for the first time by the Messrs. Shubert.

The story, by Rita Johnson Young, author of "Brown of Harvard" is far away one of the most interesting that has ever been woven into dramatic form for comedy. Jack Wright, a New York newspaper reporter, borrows money for the editor, Foxy Payton. As security, he gives his promise that, in the event he loses the money, he will write one of the biggest exclusive news stories the paper has ever published. The reporter loses and he is sorely beaten when it behoves him to produce the scoop.

However he makes good with a vengeance. He outlines a plan for the paper to conduct a lottery, selling tickets at one dollar a piece and he offers himself as the prize. The first day the story appears over one thousand old maid clowns for the coupons. Money seems to be no object. Meantime Jack falls in love with Helene Heyer and from then on, his one aim is to defeat his own scheme.

"Imagine the horror of thinking the first woman you meet on the street may be your wife," says the reporter. So all hands set about purchasing coupons. The lucky number however falls into the hands of the servant in the Payton home. Lizzie (Helen Lowell, the original Miss Hazy in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch") steals the ticket and claims Jack as her lawful husband. She is threatened with arrest and finally disengages and the coupon falls into the hands of Helene. The cast is the original one.—Adv.

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COLONIAL THEATRE

Snaps, gingers and originally mark the bill at the Colonial this week. The vaudeville includes Ted and Clara Steele, an exceptionally clever couple, comedians, plus a line of real live songs and talkology that keeps the audience in an uproar throughout their entire act. The Great La Velle, aapee artist and contortionist, whose daring tricks and stunts have won him fame from coast to coast. Frank Phillips, novelty singer and dancer. His skill is remarkable. The motion pictures and illustrated songs are the latest and best that can be procured, carefully selected to entertain and amuse our patrons. Get the habit of going to the Colonial. Entire charge of bill Thursday. Don't forget the amateurs tonight.—Adv.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

A pleasing program was presented at this house yesterday and one that will be entertaining to the patrons. blonde Robinson and Bessette have an eccentric knockabout singing and dancing novelty, that will be sure to provoke laughter. Alex. Wilson, the clever ventriloquist, has an array of mechanical dolls and amuses in a clever manner with some droll comedy. The Tremont quartet is a worthy organization of singers.

The rendition of the famous old ballad, "Silver Threads Among the Gold," is among the best numbers. The pictures are all of the very latest and contain a thrilling railroad story.—Adv.

THEATRE VOYONS

What is destined to be a big success is "The Way of the Transgressor," the feature picture at the Theatre Voyons today and never yet has a picture so carefully shown the downward course of a man and the exciting brush-off he may have with the authorities. Its story is logical, forceful and every bit exciting. A charming sentimental story "The Test of Love" is finely staged and admirably acted and the comedy brings plenty of laughs. The musical program features Jack Marlo, Chester, an old Lowell favorite, who is Chester, an old Lowell favorite, who is even in better voice than when he sang in Lowell some time ago.—Adv.

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DONALD MEEK

HATHAWAY THEATRE

That the audience at the Hathaway last evening was thoroughly enthralled by the spell of James A. Herne's great play, "Shore Acres," was most strikingly demonstrated as the curtain descended on the final act. It is almost an invariable custom of Lowell audiences to get busy with their wraps several minutes before the fall of the curtain, but not so at "Shore Acres," for although there is absolute silence on the stage for more than a minute as old Uncle Nat's coils in the cat, puts out the kitchen light, and slowly climbs the stairs to bed, the audience never moved, and when the curtain fell they remained long enough to call back Mr. Meek several times. "Shore Acres," in all that has been claimed for it, a clean and wholesome story of rural New England life, and it was presented admirably by the Donald Meek Stock company with the following cast:

Nathaniel Berry.....Donald Meek
Martin Berry.....Harry C. Arnold
(Brothers, Keepers of the Berry Light House.)
Joel Gates, a grass widow.....Daniel McCabe
Josiah Blake, a storekeeper and postmaster.....James A. Davett
Sam Warren, a young physician.....George J. Morgan
Capt. Ben Hutchins, a skipper of the "Liddy Ann".....Tom Hall
Doctor Leonard.....Sam Green
Squire Andrews.....Martin Miskell
Neighbors.....Mabel Estelle
Young Nat. Berry, Martin's boy.....Charles Crambley
Young Bob Berry, Martin's boy.....Marguerite Fay
The Mail Driver.....Jack Keller
Ann Berry, Martin's wife.....Ada Allen
Helen Berry, their daughter.....Mabel Estelle
Mrs. Andrews.....Mrs. Dan McCabe
Mrs. Leonard.....Marie Walsh
Neighbors.....Millie, Martin's daughter
Mandy Gates, Joel's child, Doris Dalton
The story of "Shore Acres" has been told in these columns before and it is a play that one can witness again and again without tiring, when presented so cleverly and so completely as it is now being presented by the Donald Meek company. Many competent actors have played the character of Nathaniel Berry, since James A. Herne created the part, but it is no exaggeration to state that none barring Herne himself, ever played it in more acceptable manner than Mr. Meek. His make-up was certainly characteristic to begin with, his twang and enunciation perfectly natural and at no time overdone, while his sudden changes from smile provoking humor to tear-bilding pathos were done in most artistic manner. The story of the fate of the father of the two brothers as told in the first act by Nathaniel brought tears to many an eye, while the tears of mirth chased them away in the second act, when Uncle Nat supervises the cooking and serving of the celebrated turkey dinner with lashings of cranberry sauce and other good things. The turkey was a real one and the members of the company appeared to enjoy it hugely, particularly Dan McCabe who got after a "drumstick" like a true actor. In the third act Mr. Meek showed fine dramatic work when Uncle Nat driven to desperation at last, asserts himself before his overbearing brother Martin. And finally in the closing act, Uncle Nat is back with the children and full of good humor which is certainly infectious and the play closes with everyone suprised.

50TH ANNIVERSARY

BIG CELEBRATION IS CONTINUED

IN ROME

ROME, March 25.—The celebration of the 50th anniversary of the proclamation of Rome as the capital of united Italy by the Italian parliament was continued today amid popular rejoicing. King Victor and Queen Elena visited the historic castle of San Angelo, where they viewed the magnificent Italian exhibition of the art of the Middle Ages and Renaissance objects. They were received by Count Di San Martino, president of the committee. Twenty-two pavilions representing the art of as many foreign countries make up the International exhibition. The exhibition will be open for a prolonged period.

MADE NO CHOICE

Democrats Did Not Agree on Senator

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28.—The second democratic legislative caucus failed last night to select a candidate for United States senator, and was called to reconvene tonight. Twenty-five candidates voted for, William F. Schenck, leader of the delegation, was elected with a third of those taking part.

The vote:

William F. Schenck, 28; Augustus Van Wick, 7; John D. Kieran, 4; Francis B. Harrison, 1; Joseph A. Golden, 2; James Renwick, 3; James W. Gerard, 2; William Sulzer, 3; John B. Stanchfield, 1; William B. Elliston, 2; Theodore Sitro, 4; Isidor Strauss, 5; Herman Ridder, 3; Daniel F. Cahalan, 4; Edward M. Grot, 1; Morgan J. O'Brien, 2; John J. Fitzgerald, 6; Alton B. Parker, 1; Victor J. Dowling, 2; J. P. O'Gorman, 1; Edwin McCall, 1; D. Cady Herrick, 3; Samuel Untermyer, 1; John A. Dix, 1; John Lynn, 1. Total 26.

Ninety of the 116 democratic members of the legislature answered the roll call. These included a few who have been voting for some other candidate than the caucus nominee, but the bulk of insurgents were absent.

Several members who have figured as strong advocates of Mr. Schenck acknowledged in declaring their votes that his election had ceased to be a possibility and that the reconvening of the caucus released them from whatever pledges might have been incurred by attendance upon the first caucus. This was the general impression among the Schenck advocates, who expressed the opinion that the balloting today would follow closely the lines of last night's caucus vote and that the reconvening of the caucus tonight would mark the beginning of the end of the most protracted contest which this state has ever known.

Notwithstanding his reiterated declinations Gov. John A. Dix received one vote.

Several of the members in announcing their choice scored the insurgents for their alleged apostasy and coward-

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GRAND JUNCTION, Colo., March 28. The \$12,000,000 bequest to Princeton university by Isaac Wyman who died about a year ago in Massachusetts, leaving his entire estate to Princeton, has been tied up in Colorado courts by the filing of a petition by W. S. Phillips that an administrator be appointed for the estate in Colorado. Phillips, who is a distant relative of Wyman, claims \$103,500 is due him from the estate. He demands that his claim be settled before the estate is turned over to Princeton.



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THE GOVERNOR'S VETO

We do not believe that Governor Foss appreciates the full meaning of our Lowell celebration on April 19. He has refused his approval to a measure granting Lowell a portion of the \$25,000 for celebrating Patriots' day. It is Lowell's duty to honor the memory of the three proto-martyrs of the war. In having the distinction of giving the first martyrs to the war, our city has a special reason for celebrating the opening of the war. Furthermore, as the governor suggests that we celebrate peace instead of war. May we ask what is celebrated on April 19 but the opening of the revolution, the battle of Lexington and Concord? That three Lowell men fell in the streets of Baltimore in the first real battle of the Civil war may not be a proper subject for commemoration in the opinion of Governor Foss; but Lowell elects to honor their memory, and she will do so without a state appropriation and regardless of the expressed opinions of the governor to the contrary.

SENATOR MONEY'S LAST SPEECH

Ex-Senator Money of Mississippi is a veteran of the Confederate army. His service in the United States senate terminated with the last congress and the last speech he made there was delivered in opposition to the filibustering episodes under which that congress passed into history. Senator Money occupied a peculiar position, for in spite of the democratic victory, he as a democratic senator was retired. In glossing over the situation and rather expressing a fellow feeling with some republicans who were also left outside the breast works, he quoted these lines from a Greek poet of the age of Pericles, a contemporary of Sappho and known as Archilochus:

Tossed on a sea of troubles, Soul, my Soul,
Thyself do then control,
And to the weapons of advancing foes
A stubborn breast oppose;
Undaunted 'mid the hostile might
Of squadrons bursting for the fight,
Thine be no boasting when the victor's crown
Wins thee deserved renown;
Thine no dejected sorrow, when defeat
Would urge a base retreat:
Rejoice in joyous things—nor over much
Let grief thy bosom touch
Midst evil, and still bear in mind
How changeable are the ways of human kind.

For a poetical sentiment penned 700 years before the Christian era, this stanza is quite remarkable, although not more so than some passages in Homer dating to a still earlier period. Could anything better be selected as balm for the feelings of a defeated candidate?

FIRE DRILLS AND MORE FIRE ESCAPES

The day of the fire drill in large factories has arrived. In every factory in which any large number of people are employed there should be a fire drill at least once a month in order to train the operatives how to get out of the building by different exits with safety and in the shortest possible time. The New York horror of Saturday has demonstrated the absolute necessity of such a scheme. There should be a law making such drills compulsory and fixing the space of time in which a building of given dimensions should be cleared. This could be arranged by giving heads of fire departments power to order fire drills in factories whenever they deem it expedient as a precaution against the sudden outbreak of fire.

The fire horror in which 141 lives were lost late Saturday afternoon in the East Side of New York city, shows beyond question the most outrageous neglect on the part of some of the public officials.

Chief Croker of the fire department says that he has been telling the officials that just such a calamity would occur, but they have evidently paid little attention to his warnings. He now makes the statement that other fires, even worse, are liable to occur at any time in other parts of New York city.

It is to be presumed that Chief Croker knows what he is talking about, and if his statement be correct, one of two things is certain, either the laws are very deficient in regard to such matters or else they are not enforced.

New York is noted for falling asleep in regard to such matters until a horror of this kind wakes up the community. Then they investigate and talk about going to the opposite extreme, but after all very little is done.

The General Slocum horror is recalled as another proof of the manner in which public officials permitted steamship companies to evade the law until a whole ship load of picnickers were burned alive.

The ten-story building in which this shirtwaist factory was located on the upper floors had no outside fire escapes; but it is stated that there were five escapes in the light shafts. As well put, fire escape in a large chimney as in an air or light shaft which in case of fire is the great conductor for the smoke and flames.

There is here evolved the problem of providing proper protection for the skyscrapers either by outer fire escapes or some other means that will afford the necessary security. The demand is imperative, and while it appeals directly to New York, yet it is the duty of every other city to see whether it has any fire trap such as that in which over 140 lives were lost in less than half an hour Saturday afternoon.

Where the laws are defective they should be amended at once; where the building ordinances permit high buildings to be erected without adequate protection in case of fire, they should be promptly changed; and where the officials, responsible for the enforcement of these laws are negligent, they should be as promptly removed to make way for men who will do their duty.

If the law compelled the owners of skyscrapers to make due provision against fire, these buildings might not be so popular. It is not enough to have fire-proof construction if the floors be littered with inflammable material as in the case of the New York shirtwaist factory. It is necessary also for the protection of the occupants to limit the height of the buildings so that the upper stories may not be entirely beyond reach of the fire departments.

It will be interesting to see what the New York officials will do to prevent other fire horrors of the same kind. Their investigations will serve little purpose except to show that some official or more probably a number of officials in authority were wholly negligent of their simple duty in not providing proper safeguards for the occupants of high buildings in case of fire.

SEEN AND HEARD

"Washington was born Friday, Shakespeare was born Friday, America was discovered Friday, Richmond was evacuated Friday, Lucky Friday."

"The girl who laughs—she needs her, There is never an hour so sad But wakes and thrills To the rippling trials Of the laugh of the girl who's glad."

DAVY AND THE GOBLIN
(The story Robinson Crusoe told Davy.)
The night was thick and hazy
When the Piccadilly Daisy
Carried down the crew and captain in
the sea;

And I think the water drowned 'em;

For they never, never found 'em;

And I know they didn't come ashore

with me.

Oh! 'twas very sad and lonely
When I found myself the only
Population on this cultivated shore;

But I've made a little tavern,

In a rocky little cavern,

And I sit and watch for people at the

door.

I spent no time in looking

For a girl to do my cooking,

As I'm quite a clever hand at making

stews.

But I had that fellow Friday,

Just to keep the tavern tidy,

And to put a Sunday polish on my

shoes.

I have a little garden

That I'm cultivating hard in,

As the things I eat are rather tough

and dry;

For I live on toasted lizards,

Prickly pears and parrot gizzards,

And I'm really very fond of beetle pie.

The clothes I had were furry,

And it made me feel and worry,

When I found the moths were eating

off the hair;

And I had to scrape and sand 'em,

And boiled 'em and I fanned 'em,

Till I got the fine morocco suit I wear.

I sometimes seek diversion

In a family excursion

With the few domestic animals you

see;

And we take along a carrot.

As refreshment for the parrot,

And a little case of jungleberry tea.

Then we gather as we travel

Bits of moss and dirty gravel,

And we chip off little specimens of

stone;

And we carry home as prizes

Funny bugs of handy sizes.

Just to give the day a scientific tone.

If the roads are wet and muddy

We remain at home and study;

For the goat is very clever at a sum-

And the Dog, instead of fighting,

Studies ornamental writing,

While the Cat is taking lessons on the

drum.

We retire at eleven,

And we rise again at seven;

And I wish to call attention, as I

close,

To the fact that all the scholars

Are correct about their collars,

And particular in turning out their

toes.

—Charles E. Carrily.

Stand to your work and be strong,

Waiting not in your ways;

Stand to your work and be wise,

Certain of sword and pain.

Ye who are neither children nor gods,

But men in a world of men.

Kipling.

"Whether any particular day shall bring to you more of happiness or suffering,

is largely beyond your power to determine; whether each day of your

life remains a day of happiness or suffering,

depends upon the way in which you meet it."

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ON PATRIOTS' DAY

Lowell Will Have Celebration Despite Veto

While Governor Has Vetoed Appropriation He Will Order the Sixth Regiment to Lowell Which is Equivalent to an Appropriation of \$2000

While Governor Foss has vetoed the bill calling for an appropriation of \$2500 for the observance of the 10th of April in this city, there will be a celebration just the same.

The governor's veto, while a great disappointment to everyone in Lowell, is not so crushing when it is known that the governor has stated that he will order the entire Sixth regiment to Lowell on April 10th, which is equivalent to an appropriation of \$2000 or

more. Several days ago Governor Foss informed members of the committee that while he hoped to see the Lowell celebration an entire success, he felt conscientiously opposed to the appropriation of any money intended for local purposes.

There was some talk last evening of the possibility of passing the measure over the veto, but the committee does not care to discuss that proposition. The governor is to be the guest of the city during the celebration.

Major Charles S. Proctor, chairman

Health and Beauty Advice

BY MRS. MAE MARTYN.

G.E.A.: When you wear a veil face powder will not help your complexion much, as it rubs off too easily. What you need is a good toner, which will show on the skin.

The next time you go to the drug store get four ounces of surnax and dissolve it in one-half pint of hot water, adding two teaspoonsfuls of glycerine. This lotion will clear up and whiten your skin, make it soft and velvety and give you a beautiful complexion. It will rid your skin of that shiny, greasy, yellow look and make it appear charming and youthful. I find this excellent for cold sores, freckles and pimples. It costs very little and will protect your face from the winds, and prove a splendid beautifier.

Chloro: The quickest way to rid the face of its blemishes is to employ lotions. This is easy to use and can be found at any drug store. Get an ounce of deodorant and mix a little with water to make a thick paste; then spread on hairy surface and after two or three minutes remove and wash the skin and you will find the hair soft and smooth. You will have to put a dollop on once for delations, but it is worth it as a second application seldom is required.

Laelia: Premature aging of hair is very discomforting and mars womanly beauty, but you can soon restore the true blonde and glossy that if you get an ounce of marlax from a nearby druggist and steep it in a pint of water. The hair should be dried, washed with canthox to remove all oil and dust, then dried, after which wash with the marlax, rise in clear water and dry. You will find marlax quite harmless and inexpensive, and will change dull, straky, faded hair to a rich, lustrous golden shade without staining or discoloring the skin.

Harriet: For your tired, dull, fatigued eyes you need a good eye tonic. Dissolve an ounce of crystal in a pint of water. Two or three drops of this in each eye daily will strengthen your eyes and make them bright and sparkling. This tonic will not smart and will prove a great aid to those who wear glasses and sleep at night. A friend of mine who wears glasses has her vision remarkably clear, beautiful eyes tell me that she uses this simple tonic regularly to keep them bright and full of expression. I find it excellent for weak, inflamed, tired eyes and granulated eyelids.

Inez G.: Don't worry; almost everybody else has the same troubles. At appearance of spring impurities in the blood usually manifest themselves and what you require to overcome the dimly, "muddy" complexion is a good system tonic and regulator. You can easily make it yourself. Get from your druggist one ounce of kordene and dissolve it in one-half pint alcohol and taking plenty of exercise will assist greatly in getting rid of your fat quickly.

Constance: Right now before warm weather sets in is the best time to get rid of facial blemishes such as freckles, pimples, skin roughness, wrinkles, etc., but you should not do this too frequently, as it makes the skin dry and harsh. It is important to use a good cream, which can be made by dissolving one ounce of almond oil (get it at any druggist) in one-half pint cold water, and add two teaspoonsfuls glycerine. Skin and stand by the use of this. It is inexpensive and you will find its regular use will improve your skin wonderfully. It keeps the skin soft and satiny, smooth and moist. Almond cream jelly is a fine and soothing cleanser and will prevent blackheads, premature wrinkling and when used as a massage cream will restore color to dark, pale skin.

Carmen: It is a very easy matter to reduce your weight without leaving the skin wrinkled and flabby. If you only knew how. Here is the secret: Buy at any drug store four ounces of paraffin and put in 1½ pints of hot water when cold, then take a table spoonful of the liquid before each meal. This is harmless and the pleasure of eating will improve your skin wonderfully. It keeps the skin soft and satiny, smooth and moist. Almond cream jelly is a fine and soothing cleanser and will prevent blackheads, premature wrinkling and when used as a massage cream will restore color to dark, pale skin.

Petition for acceptance of a sidewalk from First street to Reservoir street, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition to discontinue street widening in Humphrey street, hearing ordered for date later than April 13.

Petition for macadamizing of portion of Exeter street, hearing ordered for date later than April 13.

Petition that Beaupre street be accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that Brookings street be laid out and accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that French street, from John street to Bridge street, be laid out and accepted, hearing ordered.

Petition that Dundee street be accepted from Aberdeen street to Merrill avenue, view and hearing ordered.

Petition that Burton street be accepted, view and hearing ordered.

Petitions for acceptance of sidewalk of edgestones and cinders in Dartmouth street, view and hearing ordered.

Petition for the extension of Stromquist avenue to Lunderberg street, view ordered.

Petition for the macadamizing of Aiken avenue from West Sixth street to the Drift line, view ordered.

Petition for the macadamizing of Aiken street and Dilley avenue; view ordered.

Petition for acceptance of Hazel street; view and hearing ordered.

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Petition for the acceptance and extension of Stratford and Decatur streets; view and hearing ordered.

Petition that Bridge street be paved from the bridge to Tefft street; leave to withdraw voted.

An invitation was received from the Barrett Mfg. Co., to view the Taryn streets in Boston and the committee voted to make the trip on April 6.

Alderman Barrett called attention to the condition of the sidewalks in Fenwick street and the superintendent was ordered to repair them out of his appropriation.

It was voted to view Elm and Bourne streets which Alderman Conners wants paved, after which the meeting adjourned.

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of the general committee, purposely kept all plans in abeyance pending the final disposition of the appropriation bill. The celebration will be planned to come within the \$2500 available.

It is likely that only the Lowell company of the ninth regiment will appear in the parade. The secretary of war has advised Congressman Ames that he will detail the regulars to come here from the Boston posts if their railroad is met, and the Congressman has been instructed to notify him that this requirement will be met.

The banquet will pay for itself and hence will not come from the general appropriation. The banquet will be for men and women.

WORK ON STREETS

Considered by Committee Last Evening

City Engineer Bowers made his last appearance at a meeting of the committee on streets, at city hall last evening when all the members of that committee assembled to discuss a huge pile of petitions for street improvements in different parts of the city. Alderman Barrett presided and after due deliberation the committee took the following action on the matters before it:

Petition for the acceptance of edgestones and sidewalk on White street, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for the acceptance of West Fifth avenue from Wright street westward to McGregor, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for edgestones and concrete sidewalk at the corner of Wanless and Lawrence streets, hearing ordered for April 13.

Petition for repaving of Moody street bridge and a portion of Moody street to Sixth avenue, estimate asked for 25 before April 1, is the announcement of President Murphy, who has just returned from the south. Pitchers Toney and "Pepper" Griffin, First Baseman Victor Sater and Third Baseman Jimmy Doyle are the four who have survived the test.

ALDEN TUFTS COLLEGE

NEW YORK, March 28.—James Dudley Perkins, for 50 years a heavy shipper of coal in New York and New England and for many years a resident of Boston, died at his home in New Rochelle yesterday. Mr. Perkins had been a generous financial supporter of Tufts College and the Franklin Home for Working girls in Boston.

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Petition to discontinue street widening in Humphrey street, hearing ordered for date later than April 13.

Petition for macadamizing of Middecks street from Pawtucket street to Cheimline line, estimate asked for work from Pawtucket street to Baldwin street.

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WELL, WELL!

We were awakened to the fact that the Dead Easy season approaches, by the numerous demands for this wonderful preparation. Dead Easy kills bugs of all kinds instantly, their eggs also. Not poisonous to human life, does not stain or injure any fabric or color, has a pleasant odor and is guaranteed. In pint bottles 25c, at drugstores or the makers, Howard, the druggist, 197 Central street.

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AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Team I Won the Gymnastic Contest

The gymnastic team contest which has been held once a week during the past two months at the Y. M. C. A. has come to a close and Team I, captained by Theodore Pearson won first place with 4724 points scored in eight meets. Team No. 4, captained by Edward Dooley was second with 4331 points. Capt. Pearson of the winning team made the greatest number of points during the contest, having scored 1350. The prizes were five silver watch fobs to the five highest men on the winning team and three watch fobs to the three highest men not on the winning team.

The teams and the records are as follows:

Team No. 1 Meets Points

Captain Pearson	8	1030
Muzzey	7	710
Andromedas	7	733
Bakewell	8	944
Penars	7	741
Karos	6	816
Total		4724

Team No. 4 Meets Points

Captain Dooley	8	965
Maxfield	5	654
Curley	5	688
Riley	7	788
Knowles	2	221
Florence	2	221
Provencher	3	152
Total		4331

Team No. 3 Meets Points

Captain Croft	1	116
Coddell	3	116
Con	2	105
Jevson	7	805
Pamden	4	324
Spillane	2	174
Grant	2	229
Barrows	3	314
Total		2536

Team No. 2 Meets Points

Captain Wood	1	102
Elio	3	95
Nicholas	3	93
Walker	2	136
Farr	1	89
Tekards	4	162

PANIC ON BOARD TOWN MEETING

Big Liner Cedric Sideswiped the Steamer Marowijne

NEW YORK, March 28.—Momentary panic seized the passengers of the steamer Marowijne, just into port from Trinidad, when the big liner Cedric coming into quarantine today, was thrust out of her course by contrary tides, causing her to sideswipe the Marowijne. The chief officer of the Marowijne jumped to the windlass and cracked the anchor chain, thereby preventing further collision. A couple of plates forward on the Trinidad steamer were dented.

After the quarantine examination the Cedric got under way and attempted to pass to windward of the Marowijne and this time the high wind forced the big liner to leeward, jamming the Marowijne a second time. The Cedric stopped after clearing the Marowijne and sent a boat alongside to ascertain if any damage had been done.

DEATHS

MCGLOONE—Michael McGloone, a life long resident of North Billerica, died this morning at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Reidy, 45 Banks street, Cambridge, after a week's illness of pneumonia. Deceased is survived by a brother, Hugh McGloone of this city and two sisters, Mrs. Grace Reidy of this city and Mrs. John Reidy of Cambridge. Funeral announcement later.

LAKE—John Lake of 17 Cushing street died yesterday, aged 31. Besides his wife, Mrs. Minnie Lake, he leaves two sons, John and George, and a daughter, Annie; also a brother, Joseph.

GATILHA—Hamika Gatlitha, aged 2 months, died Monday morning at the home of her parents, Stanislaw and Maria Gatlitha. The funeral took place at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Services were held at the Holy Trinity church. Rev. Fr. Ogonowski officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

BOYLE—John J. Boyle, a well known resident of the Immaculate Conception parish, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his aunt, Mrs. Patrick Regan, 232 Fayette street, aged 37 years. He leaves two children, Ruth and Leonard; his parents, three brothers and one sister in Ireland. Deceased was a member of the Eagles, the Bartenders' Union and the Emmets.

MASSOUT—The double funeral of Abdellah and Namfallah Massout, the Syrian children, twins, who died yesterday morning, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of their parents, George and Farrid, 62 Adams street, and burial was in the Edson

cemetery in charge of Undertakers G. H. Molloy & Sons.

REED—George Warren Reed of this city, who died March 22, was born in Lyndeboro, N. H., Nov. 13, 1888. He was the son of Jesse Reed and Clara (McIntire) Reed. He came to Lowell in the spring of 1886 and found employment on the Merrimack corporation, eventually becoming an overseer of spinning, remaining there until the fall of 1902, when he retired from work owing to ill health. He joined the old No. 5 Tiger Volunteer Fire company in 1885 and when that disbanded joined the old hook and ladder company, whose headquarters was on Middle street, remaining with them until 1875. He enlisted in Capt. Abbott's company, 2nd Massachusetts regiment in the spring of 1862, but failed to pass the medical examination.

In December 1863, he married Abbie H. Quigley of Hollis, N. H., whose death occurred in 1866 leaving one son Francis E. now of Boston. In January, 1868, he married Susie Z. Reed, of Westford, Mass. Three children were born to them, Walter A. of New York City, Flora A. who died in infancy, and Gladys (Reed) Goodchild of this city.

The deceased was very active in politics for many years and was for a long time a member of the republican committee, and served as delegate to many state and other conventions. In his death the city loses an upright and respected citizen, one whose word was as good as his bond, and his family a loving, unselfish husband and father.

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at his home, 213 Westford street.

TANSEY—Mrs. Catherine Tansey died this morning at her home 61 Chestnut street. She leaves to mourn her loss one daughter, Mrs. Catherine Crowley; three sons, Owen J. Tansey, the well known police officer; John F. and Patrick of North Chelmsford. She was a well known resident of the Immaculate Conception parish and leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss.

HASTY—John Hasty died this morning at his home, 4 Bay State court, off West 4th street. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife, Mary, and two daughters, Mrs. Margaret Braut and Miss Della. He was a well known resident of St. Michael's parish. He was 49 years of age.

FUNERAL NOTICES

LAKE—The funeral of the late John Lake will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from his home, 117 Cushing street. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church, Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

TIMMONS—The funeral of the late Harry L. Timmons will take place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the home of her sister, Mrs. James Farley, Nathen street, Dracut. At 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church, Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

BOYLE—The funeral of the late John J. Boyle, will take place Thursday morning from the residence of his aunt, Mrs. P. Reagan, 257 Fayette street, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons in charge.

BROWN—Died in this city, March 27, at his home, 2121 Lakeview avenue, aged 74 years, 5 months, and 27 days, George V. Brown. Funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon from his late residence, 2121 Lakeview avenue, Dracut, at 3 o'clock. Services will be held at the Collinsville Union Mission church at 3 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice, and are kindly requested to omit flowers. Burial will be private. Undertaker C. M. Young in charge.

It was voted to authorize the treasurer to borrow an amount not exceeding \$5,000.

Article 5—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00) for the purpose of grading the grounds at the schools at North Chelmsford, the expenditure of this money to be in charge of the school committee. Voted:

Article 6—To see if the town will authorize the treasurer to borrow, subject to the approval of the selectmen such sums of money as may be required for the demands upon him, in anticipation of the taxes of the current year, and payable therefrom.

Action taken on the other articles was as follows:

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Article 7—To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred twenty-five dollars, (\$125.00) for the purpose of observing Memorial day, and appoint a committee to assist the veteran association in making the necessary arrangements for such observance. Voted:

Article 8—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2000) for sewerage at schoolhouses and town hall at North Chelmsford. Adverse action taken.

Article 9—To see if the town will vote to authorize the board of selectmen to have the town reports printed and distributed among the voters of said town eight days at least before the caucus. Voted to lay on the table.

Article 10—To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of

Chelmsford Voted to Spend \$80,000 This Year

A Large Increase in the Tax Rate is Expected — Eben T. Adams Won His Fight for Selectman — The Town Gave Its Usual Majority in Favor of "No License"

Chelmsford's annual town meeting of one hundred dollars (\$100) for the held yesterday was rather a quiet completion of drafting. Mt. Pleasant street at North Chelmsford. Voted:

Article 18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550) for the purpose of purchasing a power sprayer for the moth work department. Voted:

Article 7. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to act as its agent in any suit or suits which may arise during the current year; also in such other matters which may arise requiring, in their judgment, the action of such agent, and to employ counsel therefor. Voted:

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$325) for the purpose of fencing the schoolhouse lot in East Chelmsford, sum said to be expended under the direction of the school committee. Voted:

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to provide telephone service for the use of constables in the Centre and North villages, or act in relation thereto.

After some discussion it was voted to locate one telephone in the Centre and one in the North section, the highest vote getter in each section to have the service.

Article 21. To see if the town will accept and adopt the by-laws as prepared by the selectmen, or act in relation thereto. The article was dismissed.

Article 22. To see if the town will raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120) for the service of a junior at the North and Centre fire houses. Voted:

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) for the purpose of repairing the canal road, so called, at East Chelmsford, said sum to be expended under the direction of the selectmen. Voted:

Article 24.—At the request of George B. Wright and others, to see what action the town will take in regard to naming the square formed by the junction of Westford and Worthen streets, given by the heirs of the late David Perham, or act in relation thereto. It was voted to name the space Perham square.

Article 25. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250) for free hand concerts the present season in the several villages of the town. Voted:

Article 26. To see if the town will vote to accept a deed from Mrs. James McNally of the street shown in plan of McNally land, North Chelmsford, for a public easement of land of said street. Voted:

ARTICLES OF TRUSTEE.—The town meeting of the late Peter J. Corcoran took place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late home, 96 Concord street. The large cortège proceeded to the church of the Immaculate Conception, where at 9 o'clock high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I. The choir under the direction of C. P. Smith sang the Gregorian chant. The bearers were Terrence Daniel, Michael and Martin Ciowre, Mrs. Baron and Amyot, O. M. I. as deacon and sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Dr. George T. Calisse, sang Perrault's harmonium mass. Mr. Arthur J. Martel presiding at the organ. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Watelle, O. M. I., officiating at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

ASHIE—The funeral of the late Mrs. Jess Ashie nee Cordelia Coulon, took place this morning from her late home, 24 South street. High mass of requiem was sung at Notre-Dame de Lourdes church by Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Fr. Watelle, O. M. I., officiating at the grave. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

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PLACING THE BLAME

For the Terrible Fire Horror
in New York

Investigation Resumed by the
Officials—Architects and Fire
Experts Making an Investiga-
tion of the Fire Laws

NEW YORK, March 28.—Sitting down the great mass of testimony at their disposal, city and county officials hoped today to draw closer to the source of responsibility for Saturday's fire horror, in which 142 persons lost their lives. Investigations started yesterday by Fire Marshal Beers and District Atty. Whitman, were continued and in other official quarters an effort to place the blame was kept up with undiminished vigor.

While officialdom was thus strug-
gling with the crucial questions which

are being asked as to the underlying causes of the disaster, the East side continued the mournful task of burying its dead. Added to the 50 funerals of yesterday, as many more were held today. There remain 29 bodies so badly burned that identifications seemed improbable.

Aside from the probe into the causes of the disaster undertaken with a view to bringing whoever is culpable to an accounting, architects and fire experts are engaged today in examination of exits in fire laws with a view to legislation for preventing further horrors.

GOODWIN DIVORCE DECREE

NEW YORK, March 28.—An interlocutory decree of divorce in favor of Edna Goodrich Goodwin, the actress, from her husband, Nat Goodwin, the comedian, was signed today by Supreme Court Justice Giererich. Miss Goodrich is given permission to marry again, but Mr. Goodwin is denied that permission during the lifetime of his former wife.

SCHOOL BOARD 90 MORE PUPILS

May Appoint a Janitor
This Evening

The school board will hold its regular meeting at city hall this evening and an important item of business will be the appointment of a school janitor to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Patrick Mullane, one of the best liked men in the janitorial service. There is a long eligible list headed by Mr. John Roarke.

SENATOR DEPEW

Releases the Republican
Senators.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28.—There was no choice for United States senator on the 60th ballot today. Voting was along the lines of last night's caucus ballot. Senator Brackett today received a telegram from Senator Depew releasing the republican senators from their obligation to vote for him as the minority caucus candidate.

Senator Depew's telegram reads:

"E. T. Brackett, Albany,
I judge from press despatches that a crisis has arisen in the senatorial election. I believe it to be the highest duty of the legislature to secure full representation in the senate for the state of New York. In the extra session which convenes April 4, I would not wish my name to be a hindrance to the consummation above suggested. With full appreciation of and gratitude for the United support the republican members of the legislature have given me I will be entirely satisfied with whatever seems to them best for the interest of the state.
(Signed) Chauncey M. Depew."

WANT MORE PAY

Telegraphers Threaten
General Strike

NEW ORLEANS, March 28.—A general strike of telegraphers employed by the Illinois Central railroad will be called on April 1 if the demand of the men for a 20 per cent. increase in wages is not granted, according to local representatives of the telegraphers. It is claimed by the men that the road has discharged more than 300 operators within the last few weeks.

PEPIN THE TAILOR

HAS RETURNED WITH NEW
STYLES AND SHADES

Mr. J. N. Pepin, the high class custom tailor, with establishment at 19 Thorndike street, returned from New York this morning after a visit for the purpose of acquiring the latest spring styles.

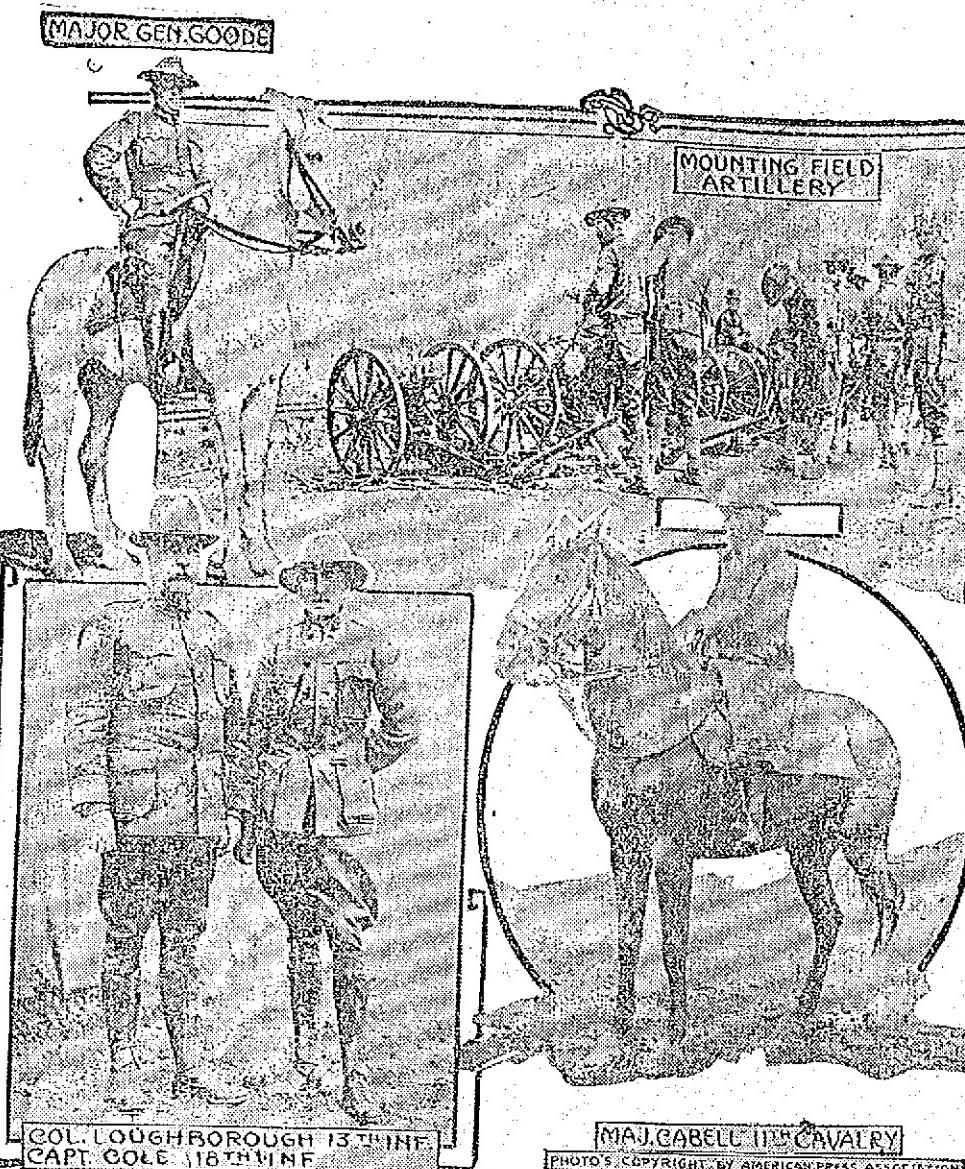
Although his time was limited owing to the "spring rush" being on when he left this city, Mr. Pepin paid a call to his friend, Mr. Rude of the New York cutting school, one of the largest schools for the advancement of the cutting art in the states, and received many of Mr. Rude's original ideas, for the correct fitting and cutting of garments, which he will use to advantage this spring.

CAUGHT IN SQUALL

IT IS FEARED THAT SCHOONER HAS FOUNDERED

MOSS POINT, Miss., March 28.—The schooner Elizabeth Dantizer, which sailed from Havana for this port on March 7, is believed to have encountered a squall in the gulf and founder-

PHOTOS OF PROMINENT ARMY OFFICERS NOW AT SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS



PHOTOGRAPH BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

MAYOR ASHLEY

Man Who Runs New
Bedford is Coming

In answer to a question of Superintendent Whitcomb as to the effect of an industrial school on regular high school attendance, Superintendent Sheridan of Lawrence writes as follows:

"Our high school attendance has materially increased each year, and that increase has by no means diminished since the opening of the industrial school. We have this year about ninety more pupils in high school than last year. I do not think that the years to come will see anything like a marked falling off in high school attendance. On the contrary, I believe it is bound to increase, in spite of the establishment of vocational schools."

SCHOOL MATTERS

Important Changes in
New Jersey

TRENTON, N. J., March 28.—The special senate committee and a committee from the state board of education that was appointed two years ago to investigate public school matters, made its report to the legislature today. The report contains 29 distinct recommendations. Those who made the report are Representatives Freylin, Bradley and Silzer, and Messrs. McCutcheon, Morrow and Schaeffer of the state board of education. The recommendations are agreed to by all of those men with the exception of one recommendation which is objected to by McCutcheon and Morrow. That legislation provides for the abolition of the state board of education and the substitution therefore of a state school commissionership with all the powers of that board as well as additional power with the right to appoint assistants to have charge of various school work and supervision.

It is recommended that the commissioner be appointed by the governor for a term of five years, and that if necessary the governor be permitted to go outside the state in selecting a commissioner. An amendment to the constitution is recommended permitting women to vote at school elections.

It is also recommended that local school boards be cut down to a membership of seven in cities and five in other places.

The recommendations include a general supervision of schools by a state commissioner and his assistants, that school classes be inaugurated for defectives, that manual training be introduced in the lower grades, that no one connected with schools be permitted to make campaign contributions, that the salaries of county superintendents be increased to \$3000, that the school authorities have control over all children of school age and be the only ones to issue permits for children to go to work.

BOMB EXPLODED

Man Had Received
"Black Hand" Letter

CHICAGO, March 28.—Incidents of the South Side Italian colony were thrown into great excitement today when a bomb was exploded in the doorway of the saloon of Solo Santo on Wentworth avenue. The saloon keeper and his family, who were asleep on the second floor, were thrown from their beds, the front of the store was wrecked, a Newfoundland dog was killed, and windows for a radius of a block were shattered.

Solo admitted to the police that he had received numerous threatening letters. The letters demanded \$1000 and were signed "The Black Hand." He ignored them.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Wilfred Barrette, the well known wrestler, has returned from Michigan, where he has been wrestling for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Pierre Brunelle, who was the guest of her children, Mr. Arcold Brunelle and Mrs. Alfred Brunelle, has returned to her home in Pierrefonds, Que., after a stay of several weeks in this city.

Rev. Fr. Watelle, O. M. I., the beloved pastor of St. Joseph's parish who recently underwent an operation at St. John's hospital, is well and about again.

Miss Antoinette Alexander of the A. G. Pollard Co., who was suffering from blood poisoning for the past two weeks, has resumed her work.

THE CHINESE REPLY

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—Emperor Nicholas gave an audience today to M. Nerofast, acting foreign minister, with whom he discussed yesterday's reply of the Chinese foreign board to the Russian ultimatum concerning the treaty of 1831.

Dusty Depew—Madam, kud yor oblige me wid an apple pie—a whole one, badly cooked an' entirely indigestible?

Mrs. Farmer—Why, what do you want such a pie as that for?

Dusty Depew—"T' eat, madam, only t' eat. Such a pie would create a bad dyspepsia. Dyspepsia 'll cause restlessness; restlessness 'll cause ambition; ambition 'll cause effort; an' effort 'll cause wealth; an' I'm out for do dust, ma'am."

JOINT CONVENTION

Will be Held at City Hall
This Evening

But a Ballot May Not be Taken,
According to Report—Other
City Hall Notes of Interest

The aldermen will meet in special session and the council in regular session this evening at 8 o'clock and the much discussed joint convention will be held according to the schedule at city hall.

The holding of the joint convention however, does not necessarily mean that a city clerk and a city treasurer will be elected and the political forecasters at the municipal building are of the opinion that there will be no election tonight. The indications point to a record-breaking attendance.

Appropriations Committee

The appropriations committee will meet this evening at city hall at 7:30 o'clock.

Diphtheria Cases

There are 14 cases of diphtheria in Lowell at the present time, according to the health board reports, which is about the average for the past three months. The number of cases is not alarmingly large.

Boy Scout Meeting

Mayor Moehan has sent out the following letter relative to the Boy Scout movement:

Dear Sir:

The new movement called the Boy Scouts of America has been brought to my notice with the suggestion that it might well be fostered by the city of Lowell.

The city of Columbus, Ohio, and other municipalities have utilized this means of training good citizens under their recreation department.

There will be a public hearing on this project at the city hall on Thursday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, March 30th, when Mr. Arthur A. Carey of Waltham will explain the movement and indicate the methods of forming a local council.

You are cordially invited as one interested in the welfare of Lowell boys.

John F. Moehan, Mayor.

New Building Permits

Among the recent building permits given out at the office of the Inspector of Buildings is that of Andrew J. McLaughlin for a two apartment house on the south side of Blossom street, two and one-half stories, 24 by 50 feet, each apartment to have six rooms, bath and pantry with an estimated cost of \$3500.

Charles F. Stackpole, has taken out a permit to erect a two apartment house in Grace street, each apartment to contain six rooms, pantry and bath, dimensions, 24 by 50, estimated cost, \$3000.

State Officer Flynn

State Officer Fred Flynn of Lawrence, while in town today, paid a visit to Mayor Moehan. Both the mayor and his secretary, Warren Riordan, are old friends of Officer Flynn. The fact that Officer Flynn played a prominent part in the graft exposures in Lawrence might have led some to believe that he was calling on business, but the visit was purely a social affair for there is nothing doing at city hall in the graft line under a democratic regime.

BISHOP DOANE REFUSES

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28.—Bishop Doane has refused to permit Mrs. E. B. Grannis, president of the National League for the Promotion of Purity, to speak in All Saints cathedral at the convention of the Purity League, which was to have been held here today. In refusing Mrs. Grannis permission to speak, Bishop Doane quoted from the bible, First Corinthians 14:34: "Let your women keep silence in the churches, for it is not permitted unto them for to speak."

Speaking of the affair, the bishop said that when he gave the league the right to hold the convention in the cathedral he was under the impression that Rev. J. A. McCuaig, the New York reformer, was to speak.

The meeting of the league will be held in New York, where Mrs. Grannis will address it.

MISSIONARY JUBILEE

NEW YORK, March 28.—The celebration of the Women's National Foreign Missionary Jubilee, which was begun with a "pageant of missions" yesterday in the Metropolitan opera house, was continued today at the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, where missionary workers from all parts of the country participated in a praise service. Missionaries in various foreign fields described conditions in their territories. The praise service was followed by a rally of the Women's Union Missionary society.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

SYDNEY BROOK

THE WELL KNOWN ENGLISH ACTOR IS DEAD

LONDON, March 28.—Sydney Brook, the actor, died today. He was born in London in 1868 and belonged to a family of actors, being a son of Lionel Brook, a brother of Mary Brook, and a cousin of Mrs. R. S. Bolyn, who was Fannie Whitehouse Brook.

He made his first American appearance at the Casino in New York in 1886 with the Violet Cameron opera company. He returned to America in 1901, appearing at the Knickerbocker theatre, New York, as Valentine Brown in "Quality Street."



A WEALTH CREATOR

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

SOUTHERN DIV. WESTERN DIV.

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ATTACKED KEEFE

Dr. Calvin Called Him an Old Stiff

BOSTON, March 28.—Disorder marked the hearing before the legislative committee on public charitable institutions yesterday on the petition of ex-Representative Harry A. Hall to abolish the boards of trustees of the Lyman School for Boys at Shirley and the State Industrial School for Girls at Lancaster, and in its stead to create a board of five members to be appointed by the governor to have supervision over these three institutions.

At one stage of the hearing the charges were being hurled so furiously that Senate Chairman Turner declared the hearing closed, but later reopened it.

Dr. George W. Galvin started the trouble. He asked to be allowed to read a letter he had sent to one of the daily papers and made the further request that he be not interrupted. Representative Keefe of Fall River said he would interrupt if he saw fit.

Dr. Galvin then read his letter. He urged that the board of trustees be composed of women, and that superintendents be prevented from intercepting letters from inmates.

Representative Keefe asked if he had any actual knowledge that letters were intercepted. Dr. Galvin said he knew from actual knowledge. Representative Keefe asked that he mention some instance. Dr. Galvin replied that he would not. Representative Keefe then asked Senate Chairman Turner to request the speaker to suspend and that he would refuse to hear him any further. Dr. Galvin replied that if he did not wish to hear him, he (Keefe) could get out, and he promised also that "he would not hurt him."

"You are not representative of the people anyway," declared Dr. Galvin, "you are nothing but a misrepresentative."

"I request that he be compelled to leave the room," Mr. Keefe called out. "I have been insulted by this man."

"It is not possible to insult you," retorted Mr. Galvin.

Dr. Galvin then took his seat. After a few moments he got up and said he wished to thank the chairman for the courtesy shown him, and added:

"And as for you (indicating Representative Keefe) you are an old stiff any way and not a representative, but a misrepresentative!" Confusion followed, and Senate Chairman Turner declared the hearing closed. After the disorder had subsided he reopened the hearing.

Dog muzzles, 25c to 50c, at The Thompson Hardware Co.

MASKED ROBBERS

Held up Eleven Messenger Boys

AN ANNIVERSARY MASS

An anniversary high mass of requiem for the late John O'Dowd, was sung at St. Peter's church yesterday morning by Rev. Fr. Tabor.

CARD OF THANKS.

I take this means of expressing my sincere thanks publicly to my many friends for the loyal support given me despite all opposition at the town meeting held yesterday.

Signed when T. Adams,
Chelmsford, Mass.

THE IRISH LEAGUE

COMMITTEE WANTS A FEW MORE CONTRIBUTIONS

The committee of the United Irish League in charge of the recent celebration met last evening and canvassed the returns and contributors. The following were announced: Rev. Wm. O'Brien, \$25; Rev. Fr. Shaw, \$10; Harvard Brewery, \$100; George C. Dempsey, \$25; P. F. Sullivan, \$25; Patrick Conlon, \$10; a friend, \$5; Mayor Meahan, \$5; Charles Calahan, \$5. The secretary was instructed to thank these and other contributors. The list will remain open for another week until the necessary amount of \$500 is secured. Those who wish to help can secure the home rule souvenirs cards at a dollar each from President Balfrey, 502 Central street, Bedford square.

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On Wednesday, the fifth day of April, 1911, beginning promptly at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, regardless of any condition of the weather, upon the premises, Nos. 474-478 West Broadway. Descriptive catalogue in detail of the property upon application by mail, telephone or otherwise at the office of the auctioneers, where all inquiries must be made.

JOHN H. WILLIAMS, Secy. & Treas.

Big Furniture Sale at Keyes' Commission Rooms, Old B. & M. Depot, Green St., On Next Thursday, March 30, Commencing at 1.30 P. M.

Goods consist in part of 27 tapestry rugs in various sizes from 6x6 to 8x12, 2 heavy brass beds, 2 cherry bookcases, 9 ft. high, with five shelves and six drawers each, 2 oak hall stands, an oak combination bookcase and desk, 5 oak centre tables, 25 chairs and rockers, 4 iron beds, with National springs, one hair mattress, No. 8 Home Crawford range, with hot water front, Glenwood range with hot water front, practically new, 3 oak chafers, 3 Morris chairs, oak chamber set of 10 pieces, 2 oak sideboards, 2 round oak tables, 3 kitchen tables, 8-piece parlor suit, 7 strips of hall and stair carpet, lot of small rugs, 4 mission chairs, with red leather seats, would make a very pretty den set; mahogany rocker, 6 brass costumers, black walnut dresser with marble top, very handsome dark oak dining-room set, consisting of a buffet, chiva, closet, 6 chairs with feather seats, and a round dining table. This set has been in use but five months; 2 sliding couches, 2 refrigerators, 3 couches, 5-piece hatchico set, Morris chair upholstered in leather, several willow rockers, Angelus piano attachment with genuine mahogany case, mahogany bench, a very handsome upright piano, practically new. This is a beautiful instrument and if you are in the market for a piano it will be to your advantage to call in and examine this one before the sale. We have had consigned one hundred (100) very nice pictures in various sizes and subjects, a few of them choice oil paintings; also 10 mirrors, some oval, some square, and some of the Marie-Antoinette style. A Davis sewing machine, and a lot of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

Goods are now on exhibition. Open evenings. Remember the sale is next Thursday, March 30, at 1.30, and that we take no goods on a limit and everything must be sold. You will find it to your advantage to call in and examine the goods and get the numbers of the articles which interest you before the day of sale.

C. F. KEYES.

The nearest guesser will receive beautiful gift. It cost nothing to guess and any one can turn in his figure. Mr. Ricard's store in Merrimack street. The contest will close tonight.

LOSS IS \$150,000

BIG PLANT WAS DESTROYED BY FIRE

NEYBURG, N. Y., March 28.—The extensive plant of the Taft-Howell Co. contractors, at Cornwall landing, was burned today. It was supposed the buildings were struck by lightning. The loss is about \$150,000.

Lowell Opera House

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NELLY and a Dramatic

Ensemble of 100.

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Seat Sales Open at Box Office at 9

a. m. Friday, March 31st. Telephone orders suspended for this attraction.

KEROSENE AGAIN

Started a Blaze in
Worthen St. House

An alarm from box 7 at 7:30 o'clock

this morning summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze in a building belonging to Matthew Coupe in the rear of 207 Worthen street.

A girl in a tenement on the third floor of the building placed a kerosene oil stove on top of a stove with fire in it and in a few minutes the oil caught fire. Mr. Coupe saw the smoke pouring through the windows and rushed to the corner of Dutton and Market streets and pulled in an alarm.

The blaze was speedily extinguished upon the arrival of the firemen. The only damage done was the scorching of a portion of the floor where the burning stove had fallen.

FIRE IN COFFEE HOUSE

Fire broke out in a coffee roaster at the tea and coffee store of Nichols & Co. in John street this morning, but was extinguished before any material damage was done. When the fire was discovered word was telephoned to the central fire station and the firemen were soon on the scene.

MURDER CHARGE

Colleta Was Arrested in
Boston

BOSTON, March 28.—Through the discrediting and judgment of Patrolman Joseph L. Cavagnaro of Division 1, Antonio Colleta, wanted in Bridgeport, Conn., on the charge of murder, was apprehended in the North End yesterday afternoon.

Cavagnaro was doing crossing duty at Union and Hanover streets about 3 o'clock when his attention was attracted to a stranger who had just hurried past. Officer Antonio Cefalo of the Connecticut state police had visited Boston Sunday, seeking Colleta on charge of murdering Pasquale Nespolo, his brother-in-law, February 12. He showed Cavagnaro a photograph and description of the missing man.

A small, dark man who had succeeded in crossing the street turned his head sideways, and Patrolman Cavagnaro immediately noted the peculiar formation of his nose and his sharp chin. In an instant he recalled the picture and description of the alleged murderer and started after the man.

The latter turned, saw the officer coming and began to run. Before he could get under way, however, the big policeman had him by the arm.

Colleta at first denied the allegations, but at the stationhouse he admitted his identity and acknowledged the killing of Nespolo, the police say, but set up a claim of self-defence.

CHILD DROWNED

LITTLE ONE WAS PLAYING IN BROOK

LACONIA, N. H., March 28.—Francis Baker, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Baker, was drowned in Durkee brook here just after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

He was playing around the brook, which is only a short distance from his home, and in crossing on a log he slipped and fell into the water, which just at this season is quite high, and has a strong current, and the lad was quickly down under the water, and being carried down stream.

When the body reached the fence at the old fair ground it caught on a barbed-wire where it was recovered by City Marshal Charles A. Harrell and Frank Simpson, a neighbor.

Mr. Henry Chamberlain witnessed the accident and at once called to her husband and he rushed to the brook, but arrived too late. The boy is survived by his parents and three brothers and a sister. The body was taken to the home.

IN POLICE COURT

SMALL DOCKET BEFORE THE COURT TODAY

It took just ten minutes to transact the business before Judge Hadley in police court this morning.

Joseph P. Lamothé, who was under a suspended sentence of three months in jail was charged with drunkenness and after his wife had testified against him the court ordered the suspension of his sentence revoked and he will spend the next three months in jail.

Frank Maguire was charged with being drunk, but after promising to reform and do better in the future, he was placed in the hands of the probation officer.

Alexander J. McDonald and John Lynch were each fined \$6 and four first offenders were fined \$